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## BAIQUIRI

American Fleet Shells a Min-  
ing Locality Near  
Aguadores.

## ARMY OF INVASION

Has Not Yet Sailed for  
Cuba, But Waiting  
For a Convoy.

## MAKING HASTE SLOWLY

War Department Will Not Take One  
Small Chance of the Transport Being  
Attacked—Sampson Officially Reports  
the Bombardment of Guantanamo—Hob-  
son's Act Extolled by the English Press.

Havana, June 11.—(From a Spanish  
correspondent.)—Several American war-  
ships yesterday bombarded Baiquiri,  
some distance east of Aguadores and  
near the railway line to Santiago de  
Cuba.

Official advices from Santiago say that  
the bombardment "caused no damage."

Baiquiri is a mining locality and some  
of the mines are under American con-  
trol.

At the palace it is denied that there  
was any bombardment of the Santiago  
fortifications yesterday.

HAS NOT SAILED.

Army of Invasion Still on the United  
States Coast.

Washington, June 11.—Out of the  
maze of doubt and contradiction as to  
the dispatch of the first army of inva-  
sion to Cuba one thing stands out clearly,  
namely, that the government, feeling  
strong in its present position and  
plan, is moving cautiously and with the  
deliberation which it believes will secure  
success unattended with disasters.

With this main purpose in view, the  
army and navy are co-operating toward  
the dispatch of the troops (some 25,000  
in number) under escort of a strong  
fleet of naval convoys, made up of 16  
warships, headed by the battleship In-  
diana. Unattended by this strong fleet,  
the troops might have left last Friday,  
when one strong naval convoy was  
ready for this service. Since then,  
however, reports have come as to the  
presence of Spanish ships in the north  
Atlantic.

Realizing that nothing was to be  
gained by haste and that the war was  
progressing steadily toward success, it  
was determined not to take the one  
small chance of having our troop trans-  
ports menaced by some scouting ship of  
the enemy. As a result, the troop trans-  
ports have not proceeded to Cuba as has  
been repeatedly asserted. They are in  
readiness to go, but will not move until  
the naval convoy is ready to accompany  
them, assuring safe conduct from Flori-  
da to the point of destination.

Whether that will be today the war  
department positively declines to say,  
and there is authority for the statement  
that any reports purporting to give the

hour or day when this formidable flo-  
tilla of invasion will start is not only  
unwarranted, but meets with the most  
vigorous of condemnation. The admin-  
istration feels that the time has come  
when it is of utmost importance that  
the precise movements of the invading  
fleet should not be published in this  
country, and thus heralded to the en-  
emy.

The entire transport fleet of about 50  
steamships, augmented by the fleet of  
naval convoys, 16 in number, will make  
a formidable procession, exceeding in  
magnitude the notable spectacle of the  
naval review during the world's fair  
year.

The first official confirmation of the  
engagement at Guantanamo last Tues-  
day came to the navy department yester-  
day and was made the subject of a  
bulletin. The terms in which Admiral  
Sampson described the affair tended  
strongly to take away the large impor-  
tance that had been given it in unofficial  
dispatches. There was a notable failure  
on the part of the admiral to men-  
tion anything like a landing, although  
the statement that the Marblehead now  
holds the lower bay by implication may  
carry with it the idea that her marines  
are ashore.

The senate agreed to conference com-  
mittee's report on the war revenue bill,  
last evening after four hours debate.  
The vote was 43 to 22.

HOBSON'S ACT EXTOLLED.

Comments of the English Weekly Press  
on Hispano-American Situation.

London, June 11.—The weekly papers  
in their review of the week as bearing  
upon the Hispano-American situation,  
regard its events as a distinct step to-  
ward America's triumph.

The Spectator, extolling the act of  
Lieutenant Hobson in sinking the Mer-  
rimac, says: "The feat is of itself suffi-  
cient to indicate the certain result of  
war. You cannot beat a nation whose  
officers and men are equally ready to  
perish in a forlorn hope, if it only may  
advance a national object. As to the  
general situation in Spain there can be  
no doubt that when the truth is realized  
and nothing more can be hoped for from  
Cervera, Spain, and especially southern  
Spain, will explode in a burst of revolu-  
tionary passion."

The Speaker says: "Both at Santiago  
and apparently at Manila resistance is  
hopeless and Spain must soon be led to  
see it."

The Saturday review says: "The  
moment is opportune for the interven-  
tion of France whose good offices would  
certainly be acceptable to both countries  
and an honorable peace might be se-  
cured."

CHICKAMAUGA.

No Further Removals South are Antici-  
pated For Some Time.

Chickamauga National Military Park,  
Ga., June 11.—The general impression  
prevails at General Brooke's headquar-  
ters that there will be no removals from  
this place to points south until the gov-  
ernment is ready to send another army  
directly to Cuba and then it is believed  
that troops will be sent directly to the  
point of embarkation and thence at once  
shipped. The reason for this belief,  
given by Colonel Richards of General  
Brooke's staff, is that the health of the  
army being excellent here and all facilities  
for their subsistence being at hand it  
is not probable that any chances will  
be taken by making another change of  
water and climate until the time comes  
to go to the front.

Five days rations are being issued to  
the various regiments and in order that  
the public might judge whether there is  
any truth in the special reports sent  
out from here as to the shortage of food  
the following statement of what the  
Eighteenth New York received, all others  
receiving proportionately the same, will  
be of interest: Two hundred and thirty  
pounds of salt; 522 pounds of coffee;  
700 pounds of beans; 60 gallons of vine-  
gar; 700 pounds of sugar; 1,000 pounds  
of onions; 240 pounds of soap; 80 pounds  
of candles; 979 pounds of bacon; 3,903  
pounds of potatoes; 4,740 pounds of bread  
and 4,261 pounds of fresh beef.

MONTEREY AT SAN DIEGO.

Put Into Port For a Supply of Coal and  
Water.

San Diego, Cal., June 11.—The United  
States steamship Monterey and her  
consort the Brutus, supposed to be  
speeding on their way toward Honolulu  
and Manila, were sighted yesterday  
steaming south toward San Diego at a  
good rate of speed, the Monterey lead-  
ing. They arrived off the harbor dur-  
ing the evening and separated, the  
Brutus going about five miles south and  
anchoring while the Monterey came in  
rapidly and dropped her anchor off the  
coal bunkers.

A cutter containing Paymaster Rogers  
and an ensign came ashore as soon as  
the boat could be launched and Pay-  
master Rogers stated briefly to a re-  
porter that they had simply come in  
here for coal and water and would sail  
this afternoon at high tide for Honolu-  
lu. Being asked if there was anything  
the matter with the engines, machinery  
or crew, he said nothing whatever, all  
is well on board. It was suggested  
that the course taken was a little out of  
the usual one and he said it would  
make little difference in the time of ar-  
rival at Honolulu. The officer accom-  
panying the paymaster stated that they  
met heavy weather the second day out  
and lost overboard 83 tons of coal which  
was secured in netting on the Monte-  
rey's decks.

FORCE THE HARBOR.

Believed That Is Sampson's Plan at San-  
tiago on Landing of Troops.

Off Santiago de Cuba, June 9, via  
Kingston, Jamaica, June 11.—It is be-  
lieved the navy will follow the landing  
of troops by forcing the passage of the  
narrow channel leading to the harbor of

Santiago de Cuba, fishing up the sunken  
mines and compelling Admiral Cervera  
to make a stand. If the destruction of  
the Spanish fleet is successfully carried  
out it will end the last vestige of Span-  
ish dominion in eastern Cuba. The  
harbor of Guantanamo is completely un-  
der the control of the American fleet  
and the landing of marines at that point  
is expected to occur simultaneously with  
the landing of troops at Santiago de  
Cuba.

FIRST KENTUCKY.

Only Regiment in Volunteer Service Re-  
cruited to Full Strength.

Louisville, June 11.—The First reg-  
iment, Kentucky volunteers, (Louisville  
legion), broke camp at Lexington late  
yesterday afternoon and left over the  
Cincinnati Southern for Chickamauga,  
where they arrived today. The reg-  
iment is 1,350 strong and under the com-  
mand of Colonel John B. Castleman. It  
is the only volunteer regiment in the  
United States recruited up to its full  
strength, although it is the last of all  
the volunteer regiments to move.

CRISIS EXISTS.

Spain Asks Austria About Intervention  
of Powers.

London, June 11.—The Vienna corre-  
spondent of The Daily Telegraph says:  
"Authentic reports have been received  
here that the situation in Madrid is ad-  
vancing with the greatest rapidity. There  
is no doubt that a crisis exists. Spain  
will entreat the intervention of the  
powers almost immediately; and con-  
fidential inquiries in this sense have  
already been made here."

Secretary Alger Planned.

Washington, June 11.—Secretary Al-  
ger has expressed his gratification at the  
nomination by the president of J. War-  
ren Keifer of Ohio to be a major gen-  
eral of the United States volunteer  
army. He said that by virtue of his  
brilliant military record in the late civil  
war and his sound physical condition,  
General Keifer was admirably equipped  
to enter the United States army.

REPORT WAS UNTRUE.

General Linares Says the Torpedoboot  
Destroyer Was Not Sunk.

London, June 11.—The Madrid corre-  
spondent of The Standard says General  
Linares, commanding the Spanish forces  
in the province of Santiago de Cuba,  
cables that "Nothing has occurred dur-

ing the last 24 hours; that the Ameri-  
cans have not succeeded in affecting a  
landing, but the fleet is still off the har-  
bor." General Linares says the report  
that a Spanish torpedoboot destroyer  
has been sunk is untrue.

Harrison's Assignment to Lee Temporary.

Jacksonville, Fla., June 11.—Russell  
Harrison, son of the ex-president, and  
Vice President Hobart's son have ar-  
rived in the city to assume the respec-  
tive duties of inspector and assistant ad-  
jutant on General Lee's staff. Harrison's  
assignment to Lee will only be tem-  
porary, and it is stated on good au-  
thority that before long he will be placed  
elsewhere.

THE MARKETS.

Prevailing Prices For Grain, Cattle and  
Provisions on June 10.

Indianapolis.

WHEAT—Nominal, No. 2 red, 93c.  
COB—Steady, No. 2 mixed, 82 1/2c.  
OATS—Weak, No. 2 mixed, 36 1/2c.  
CATTLE—Steady at \$3.50 to \$4.00.  
HOGS—Steady at \$3.00 to \$3.50.  
SHEEP—Steady at \$2.00 to \$2.50.  
LAMBS—Higher at \$3.00 to \$3.50.

Chicago Grain and Provisions.

WHEAT—July opened 87 1/2c, closed 88 1/2c.  
SEPT. opened 75 1/2c, closed 75 1/2c.  
OATS—July opened 33 1/2c, closed 33 1/2c.  
SEPT. opened 33 1/2c, closed 33 1/2c.  
RICE—July opened 24 1/2c, closed 24 1/2c.  
SEPT. opened 24 1/2c, closed 24 1/2c.  
LARD—July opened \$3.95, closed \$3.95.  
RIBS—July opened \$5.50, closed \$5.50.  
CLOSING CATTLE MARKETS: Wheat \$1.00 1/2c,  
corn 38c, oats 37c, pork \$10.30, lard \$5.90,  
ribs \$5.50.

Cincinnati Grain and Livestock.

WHEAT—Quiet, No. 2 red, \$1.00.  
COB—Dull, No. 2 mixed, 33 1/2c.  
OATS—Steady, No. 2 mixed, 37 1/2c.  
CATTLE—Steady at \$3.50 to \$4.00.  
HOGS—Strong at \$3.00 to \$3.50.  
SHEEP—Steady at \$2.00 to \$2.50.  
LAMBS—Quiet at \$3.00 to \$3.50.

Toledo Grain.

WHEAT—Active, No. 2 cash, \$1.04 1/2c.  
COB—Active, No. 2 mixed, 33 1/2c.  
OATS—Dull, No. 2 mixed, 35c.



## DESPERATE DEFENSE

Spaniards Preparing For a  
Hard Fight at  
Santiago.

## ABOUT 5,000 STRONG

Are the Insurgents Near  
the City, Partially  
Armed.

## REBEL GENERAL MINET

Pays a Visit to Sampson Aboard the New  
York—Commander Deleahanty Landing  
Supplies to Cuban Soldiers, Many of  
Whom Are Half Starved—Ensign Gil-  
pin's Experience in an Insurgent Camp.  
United States Will Have to Carry Out  
Its Plans Without Much Aid From  
Garcia's Men.

Off Santiago de Cuba, June 9, via  
Kingston, Jamaica, June 11.—In Santi-  
ago de Cuba there are now about 20,000  
Spanish soldiers, chiefly infantry, but  
with a fair contingent of cavalry and  
field artillery drawn from the surround-  
ing country. During the daytime the  
cavalry skirmish in the vicinity of the  
city, returning at night to barracks.  
During the last few days the activity of  
the Spaniards has been noticeable. Oxen  
trains have been making their way to  
the batteries, detachments have been  
working on emplacements and there have  
been other signs that the Spaniards are  
preparing a desperate resistance.

The insurgents, about 5,000 strong,  
have taken a position on a mountain to  
the westward. Two thousand insur-  
gents of this gathering are unarmed.  
General Maximo Gomez, now about 150  
miles inland, is making his way toward  
the coast. Admiral Sampson is actively  
co-operating with the insurgents. Yester-  
day General Minet, of the insurgent  
forces, and his staff went on board the  
New York for a long consultation.

The naval officers have been doing  
splendid and daring work in carrying  
communications to the insurgents, land-  
ing arms and making trips ashore for  
the purpose of gaining information.

Lieutenant Sharp of the Vixen and  
Lieutenant Commander Deleahanty of  
the Suwanee have been daily entrusted  
with important missions and have car-  
ried them out successfully. The Vixen's  
work has been carrying messages to and  
fro, but the Suwanee has a more serious  
task. This little gunboat has landed  
300,000 round of small arms ammuni-  
tion, 300 Springfield rifles, 100 carbines,  
2,000 machetes, with equipments and  
provisions. These were landed over  
Wednesday, about 15 miles off Santiago,  
to some 800 insurgents who came down  
to the beach, the main body remaining  
in the mountains.

The Cubans were hard up for supplies  
and ammunition and were overjoyed at  
the sight of the Suwanee cargo. Some  
almost ravenous, hacked at the slices of  
bacon and ate raw beef. They had  
been living on limes, coconuts and  
sweet potatoes. Ensign Gilpin of the  
Suwanee went ashore and accompanied  
the Cubans to their temporary camp in-  
land. Describing his experience at the  
camp, which is about 10 miles inland,  
he said:

"I found the insurgents a rough look-  
ing and mixed lot of boys and old men,  
rigged out in any way, carrying arms of  
all sorts and all anxious to borrow every-  
thing I had, from my blouse to my re-  
volver. Four Spanish soldiers in uniform,  
carrying rifles, marched into the camp  
while I was there and said they wanted  
to join the insurgents. They were en-  
rolled, but a close watch was kept on  
them, as they belonged to the civil  
guard. A Cuban officer told me such  
disorders were not infrequent. The  
Spaniards had Mauser rifles, which were  
in fairly good condition."

Conservative authorities believe the  
United States troops will have to carry  
out their plan of campaign without  
placing much reliance upon the insur-  
gents.

Has Given No Instructions.

Madrid, June 11.—In the chamber of  
deputies yesterday Senator Romero Giron,  
minister for the colonies, in reply to a  
question as to whether Captain General  
Augusti had been given instructions in  
the event of being obliged to surrender  
and as to whether these instructions di-  
rected him to treat with Admiral  
Dewey, the American commander, or  
Aguinaldo, the insurgent chief, said  
the government had given no instruc-  
tions on this subject.

Asked to Maintain Neutrality.

Buenos Ayres, Argentina, June 11.—  
The American consul at Montevideo has  
requested the government of Paraguay  
to maintain neutrality during the war  
between Spain and the United States by  
fixing a time for the Spanish torpedo  
gunboat Teniente to leave Paraguayan  
waters or by insisting upon the dis-  
armament of the Spanish warship.

Bad Plans of Cadiz Fortification.

Gibraltar, June 11.—An American, it  
is reported, was arrested at Algeciras,  
on the Bay of Gibraltar, Spain, last  
night, charged with being in possession  
of the plans of the fortifications at Cadiz.

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## SPANISH WARSHIPS

Report That Four Were  
Seen Lurking Off  
Cape Henry.

Washington, June 11.—The following  
special from Old Point Direct has been  
received here from private sources.

Fort Monroe, Va., June 10.—This ev-  
ening a report was received here from  
Cape Henry that a Spanish battleship,  
two cruisers and a torpedoboot were  
seen lurking outside the cape, caus-  
ing considerable activity at the forts,  
the troops sleeping by their guns. All  
of the officers at the forts were called  
to their posts. Considerable excitement  
ensued among the civilians and some  
uneasiness was apparent among the  
guests of the hotels.

HAS A CHARMED LIFE

Engine and Thirty Cars Pass Over a Child  
Slightly Wounding It.

Lima, O., June 11.—A three-year-old  
boy named Boss, while playing on the  
C. & E. railroad tracks at McGuffey,  
east of this city, attempted to get off  
the track before a freight train came  
along, but slipped and fell between the  
rails. The pilot cleared him and the  
engine and 30 cars passed over his body  
before the train could be stopped. The  
boy was uninjured except a small wound  
on his left arm.

Governor Bushnell Returns.

Columbus, O., June 11.—Governor  
Bushnell and staff have returned from  
their Wisconsin trip. The governor  
participated in the celebration at Mad-  
ison of the semicentennial of the admis-  
sion of Wisconsin into the Union, and  
tendered an invitation to the governor  
of that state to participate in the Ohio  
centennial celebration in 1903 at Toledo,  
which was accepted.

Charged With Violating Civil Service Law

Frankfort, Ky., June 11.—Charges  
have been made out and forwarded to  
Washington against Internal Revenue  
Commissioner Scott for violation of the  
civil service law. The charges are the  
result of the Todd H. Evans race for  
congress in that district, it being al-  
leged that Scott is taking an offensive  
part in the fight for Evans.

Fast Time on the Washash.

Springfield, Ill., June 11.—Passenger  
train No. 5 on the Washash has beat the  
record of the Continental limited on  
that road made Wednesday which was  
until then the fastest time ever made in  
the west. The train was 55 minutes  
late and the 71 miles between Tilton  
and Decatur, including a 1-minute stop  
at Toulon was made in 68 minutes.

Hanged to an Electric Light Pole.

Wenar, Tex., June 11.—Constable  
Lee Wall was killed yesterday afternoon  
by George Washington, a negro, who  
tried to make his escape, but was cap-  
tured. He was hanged to an electric  
light pole by 500 people.

BRADSTREET

The General Spring Business Largely  
Meets Expectations.

New York, June 11.—Bradstreet to-  
day says: Accompanying reports of a  
seasonable quieting down of the spring  
demand for, and movement of, mer-  
chandise come proofs that the spring  
business of the year of 1898, with a few  
notable exceptions, has largely met ex-  
pectations. Particularly confirming  
this latter view of the case are the  
heavy totals of bank clearings, large  
railway earnings, heavy exports, a total  
of failures well down to the normal, and  
exceptional steadiness in prices follow-  
ing the notable advances registered  
some time ago. Weaker and lower prices  
for a number of cereals, during the past  
week, in the face of heavy export busi-  
ness, point to the very good crop pros-  
pects, for wheat and other grains, in-  
fluencing holders toward parting with  
their stocks.

Statistics of pigiron production point  
to a slight reduction in output during  
the month just closed, due largely to  
shutdowns for repairs, but the failure of  
stocks to accumulate gives proof that  
the immense recent production has been  
met by an equally large consumptive  
demand.

Features of the price situation this  
week are the steadiness of nearly all  
classes of groceries, of raw cotton and  
printcloths, and of hides, leather and  
lumber, while decreases are reported in  
the cereals, lard, pork, copper and steel  
rails.

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HAWAII

House Decides to Take Up the Annexa-  
tion Resolution.

Washington, June 11.—The feature of  
yesterday's session of the house was the  
securing of an agreement to consider  
and vote upon Mr. Newland's resolution  
to annex Hawaii. Beginning today the  
debate will proceed until 5 o'clock next  
Wednesday afternoon, when a vote will  
be taken. The annexationists were de-  
termined to force consideration and for  
three hours the opposition filibustered.  
Eight Democrats voted with the annexa-  
tionists in the movement to force con-  
sideration of the resolutions, they being  
Messrs. Berry (Ky.), Devries (Cal.),  
Livingston (Ga.), Brucker (Mich.),  
Cummings, Sulzer and Vohlsig (N. Y.)  
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**BAIQUIRI**  
American Fleet Shells a Mining Locality Near Aguadores.

**ARMY OF INVASION**  
Has Not Yet Sailed for Cuba, But Waiting For a Convoy.

**MAKING HASTE SLOWLY**  
War Department Will Not Take One Small Chance of the Transport Being Attacked—Sampson Officially Reports the Bombardment of Guantanamo—Hobson's Act Extorted by the English Press.

Vienno Dispatch Says a Crisis Exists in Spain—General War News.  
Havana, June 11.—(From a Spanish correspondent.)—Several American warships yesterday bombarded Baiquiri, some distance east of Aguadores and near the railway line to Santiago de Cuba.

Official advices from Santiago say that the bombardment "caused no damage." Baiquiri is a mining locality and some of the mines are under American control.

At the palace it is denied that there was any bombardment of the Santiago fortifications yesterday.

**HAS NOT SAILED.**  
Army of Invasion Still on the United States Coast.  
Washington, June 11.—Out of the maze of doubt and contradiction as to the dispatch of the first army of invasion to Cuba one thing stands out clearly, namely, that the government, feeling strong in its present position and plan, is moving cautiously and with the deliberation which it believes will secure success unattended with disasters.

With this main purpose in view, the army and navy are co-operating toward the dispatch of the troops (some 25,000 in number) under escort of a strong fleet of naval convoys, made up of 16 warships, headed by the battleship Indiana. Unattended by this strong fleet, the troops might have left last Friday, when one strong naval convoy was ready for this service. Since then, however, reports have come as to the presence of Spanish ships in the north Atlantic.

Realizing that nothing was to be gained by haste and that the war was progressing steadily toward success, it was determined not to take the one small chance of having our troop transports menaced by some scouting ship of the enemy. As a result, the troop transports have not proceeded to Cuba as has been repeatedly asserted. They are in readiness to go, but will not move until the naval convoy is ready to accompany them, assuring safe conduct from Florida to the point of destination.

Whether that will be today the war department positively declines to say, and there is authority for the statement that any reports purporting to give the

hour or day when this formidable flotilla of invasion will start is not only unwarranted, but meets with the most vigorous of condemnation. The administration feels that the time has come when it is of utmost importance that the precise movements of the invading fleet should not be published in this country, and thus heralded to the enemy.

The entire transport fleet of about 50 steamships, augmented by the fleet of naval convoys, 16 in number, will make a formidable procession, exceeding in magnitude the notable spectacle of the naval review during the world's fair year.

The first official confirmation of the engagement at Guantanamo last Tuesday came to the navy department yesterday and was made the subject of a bulletin. The terms in which Admiral Sampson described the affair tended strongly to take away the large importance that had been given it in unofficial dispatches. There was a notable failure on the part of the admiral to mention anything like a landing, although the statement that the Marbledhead now holds the lower bay by implication may carry with it the idea that her marines are ashore.

The senate agreed to conference committee's report on the war revenue bill, last evening after four hours debate. The vote was 43 to 22.

**HOBSON'S ACT EXTORTED.**  
Comments of the English Weekly Press on Hispano-American Situation.  
London, June 11.—The weekly papers in their review of the week as bearing upon the Hispano-American situation, regard its events as a distinct step toward America's triumph.

The Spectator, extolling the act of Lieutenant Hobson in sinking the Merimac, says: "The feat is of itself sufficient to indicate the certain result of war. You cannot beat a nation whose officers and men are equally ready to perish in a forlorn hope, if it only may advance a national object. As to the general situation in Spain there can be no doubt that when the truth is realized and nothing more can be hoped for from Cervera, Spain, and especially southern Spain, will explode in a burst of revolutionary passion."

The Speaker says: "Both at Santiago and apparently at Manila resistance is hopeless and Spain must soon be led to see it."

The Saturday review says: "The moment is opportune for the intervention of France whose good offices would certainly be acceptable to both countries and an honorable peace might be secured."

**CHICKAMAUGA.**  
No Further Removals South are Anticipated For Some Time.  
Chickamauga National Military Park, Ga., June 11.—The general impression prevails at General Brooke's headquarters that there will be no removals from this place to points south until the government is ready to send another army directly to Cuba and then it is believed that troops will be sent directly to the point of embarkation and thence at once shipped. The reason for this belief, given by Colonel Richards of General Brooke's staff, is that the health of the army being excellent here and all facilities for their subsistence being at hand it is not probable that any chances will be taken by making another change of water and climate until the time comes to go to the front.

Five days' rations are being issued to the various regiments and in order that the public might judge whether there is any truth in the special reports sent out from here as to the shortage of food the following statement of what the Eighth New York received, all others receiving proportionately the same, will be of interest: Two hundred and thirty pounds of salt; 522 pounds of coffee; 700 pounds of beans; 60 gallons of vinegar; 700 pounds of sugar; 1,000 pounds of onions; 240 pounds of soap; 80 pounds of candles; 979 pounds of bacon; 3,903 pounds of potatoes; 4,740 pounds of leaves bread and 4,261 pounds of fresh beef.

**MONTEREY AT SAN DIEGO.**  
Put Into Port For a Supply of Coal and Water.  
San Diego, Cal., June 11.—The United States steamship Monterey and her consort the Brutus, supposed to be speeding on their way toward Honolulu and Manila, were sighted yesterday steaming south toward San Diego at a good rate of speed, the Monterey leading. They arrived off the harbor during the evening and separated, the Brutus going about five miles south and anchoring while the Monterey came in rapidly and dropped her anchor off the coal bunkers.

A cutter containing Paymaster Rogers and an ensign came ashore as soon as the boat could be launched and Paymaster Rogers stated briefly to a reporter that they had simply come in here for coal and water and would sail this afternoon at high tide for Honolulu. Being asked if there was anything the matter with the engines, machinery or crew, he said nothing whatever, all is well on board. It was suggested that the course taken was a little out of the usual one and he said it would make little difference in the time of arrival at Honolulu. The officer accompanying the paymaster stated that they met heavy weather the second day out and lost overboard 83 tons of coal which was secured in netting on the Monterey's decks.

**FORCE THE HARBOR.**  
Believed That Is Sampson's Plan at Santiago on Landing of Troops.  
Off Santiago de Cuba, June 9, via Kingston, Jamaica, June 11.—It is believed the navy will follow the landing of troops by forcing the passage of the narrow channel leading to the harbor of

Santiago de Cuba, fishing up the sunken mines and compelling Admiral Cervera to make a stand. If the destruction of the Spanish fleet is successfully carried out it will end the last vestige of Spanish dominion in eastern Cuba. The harbor of Guantanamo is completely under the control of the American fleet and the landing of marines at that point is expected to occur simultaneously with the landing of troops at Santiago de Cuba.

**CRISIS EXISTS.**  
Spain Asks Austria About Intervention of Powers.  
London, June 11.—The Vienna correspondent of The Daily Telegraph says: "Authentic reports have been received here that the situation in Madrid is advancing with the greatest rapidity. There is no doubt that a crisis exists. Spain will entreat the intervention of the powers almost immediately; and confidential inquiries in this sense have already been made here."

**Secretary Alger Pleased.**  
Washington, June 11.—Secretary Alger has expressed his gratification at the nomination by the president of J. Warren Keifer of Ohio to be a major general of the United States volunteer army. He said that by virtue of his brilliant military record in the late civil war and his sound physical condition, General Keifer was admirably equipped to re-enter the United States army.

**REPORT WAS UNTRUE.**  
General Linares Says the Torpedoblast Destroyer Was Not Sunk.  
London, June 11.—The Madrid correspondent of The Standard says General Linares, commanding the Spanish forces in the province of Santiago de Cuba, cables that "Nothing has occurred dur-

ing the last 24 hours; that the Americans have not succeeded in affecting a landing, but the fleet is still off the harbor." General Linares says the report that a Spanish torpedoblast destroyer has been sunk is untrue.

**Harrison's Assignment to Lee Temporary.**  
Jacksonville, Fla., June 11.—Russell Harrison, son of the ex-president, and Vice President Hobart's son have arrived in the city to assume the respective duties of inspector and assistant adjutant on General Lee's staff. Harrison's assignment to Lee will only be temporary, and it is stated on good authority that before long he will be placed elsewhere.

**THE MARKETS.**  
Prevailing Prices For Grain, Cattle and Provisions on June 10.  
Indianapolis.  
WHEAT—Quiet; No. 2 red, 93c. CORN—Steady; No. 2 mixed, 32 1/2c. OATS—Weak; No. 2 mixed, 26 1/2c. CATTLE—Steady at \$3.25 to \$3.50. HOGS—Steady at \$4.00 to \$4.10. SHEEP—Steady at \$2.00 to \$2.10. LAMBS—Steady at \$3.00 to \$3.25.  
Chicago Grain and Provisions.  
WHEAT—July opened 87 1/2c, closed 88 1/2c. Sept. opened 85 1/2c, closed 86 1/2c. CORN—July opened 32 1/2c, closed 33 1/2c. Sept. opened 31 1/2c, closed 32 1/2c. OATS—July opened 24 1/2c, closed 25 1/2c. Sept. opened 23 1/2c, closed 24 1/2c. PORK—July opened \$10.35, closed \$10.30. LARD—July opened \$5.35, closed \$5.30. RIBS—July opened \$5.35, closed \$5.30. Closing cash markets: Wheat \$1.00 1/2, corn 35c, oats 25c, pork \$10.20, lard \$5.35, ribs \$5.35.  
Cincinnati Grain and Provisions.  
WHEAT—Quiet; No. 2 red, \$1.00. CORN—Dull; No. 2 mixed, 33 1/2c. OATS—Steady; No. 2 mixed, 27 1/2c. CATTLE—Steady at \$2.50 to \$2.75. SHEEP—Steady at \$2.00 to \$2.25. LAMBS—Quiet at \$3.00 to \$3.25.  
Toledo Grain.  
WHEAT—Active; No. 2 cash, \$1.04 1/2. CORN—Active; No. 2 mixed, 33 1/2c. OATS—Dull; No. 2 mixed, 25c.

**DESPERATE DEFENSE**  
Spaniards Preparing For a Hard Fight at Santiago.  
**ABOUT 5,000 STRONG**  
Are the Insurgents Near the City, Partially Armed.  
**REBEL GENERAL MINIET**  
Pays a Visit to Sampson Aboard the New York—Commander Deleahanty Landing Supplies to Cuban Soldiers, Many of Whom Are Half Starved—Ensign Gilpin's Experience in an Insurgent Camp. United States Will Have to Carry Out Its Plans Without Much Aid From Garcia's Men.  
Off Santiago de Cuba, June 9, via Kingston, Jamaica, June 11.—In Santiago de Cuba there are now about 20,000 Spanish soldiers, chiefly infantry, but with a fair contingent of cavalry and field artillery drawn from the surrounding country. During the daytime the cavalry skirmish in the vicinity of the city, returning at night to barracks. During the last few days the activity of the Spaniards has been noticeable. Oxen trains have been making their way to the batteries, detachments have been working on emplacements and there have been other signs that the Spaniards are preparing a desperate resistance.

The insurgents, about 5,000 strong, have taken a position on a mountain to the westward. Two thousand insurgents of this gathering are unarmed. General Maximo Gomez, now about 150 miles inland, is making his way toward the coast. Admiral Sampson is actively co-operating with the insurgents. Yesterday General Miniét, of the insurgent forces, and his staff went on board the New York for a long consultation.

The naval officers have been doing splendid and daring work in carrying communications to the insurgents, landing arms and making trips ashore for the purpose of gaining information. Lieutenant Sharp of the Vixen and Lieutenant Commander Deleahanty of the Suanave have been daily entrusted with important missions and have carried them out successfully. The Vixen's work has been carrying messages to and fro, but the Suanave has a more serious task. This little gunboat has landed 300,000 rounds of small arms ammunition, 300 Springfield rifles, 100 carbines, 2,000 machetes, with equipments and provisions. These were landed over Wednesday, about 15 miles off Santiago, to some 800 insurgents who came down to the beach, the main body remaining in the mountains.

The Cubans were hard up for supplies and ammunition and were overjoyed at the sight of the Suanave cargo. Some, almost ravenous, hacked at the slices of bacon and ate raw beef. They had been living on limes, coconuts and sweet potatoes. Ensign Gilpin of the Suanave went ashore and accompanied the Cubans to their temporary camp inland. Describing his experience at the camp, which is about 10 miles inland, he said:

"I found the insurgents a rough looking and mixed lot of boys and old men, rigged out any way, carrying arms of all sorts and all anxious to borrow everything I had, from my blouse to my revolver. Four Spanish soldiers in uniform, carrying rifles, marched into the camp while I was there and said they wanted to join the insurgents. They were enrolled, but a close watch was kept on them, as they belonged to the civil guard. A Cuban officer told me such additions were not infrequent. The Spaniards had Mauser rifles, which were in fairly good condition."

Conservative authorities believe the United States troops will have to carry out their plan of campaign without placing much reliance upon the insurgents.

**Has Given No Instructions.**  
Madrid, June 11.—In the chamber of deputies yesterday Senator Romero Giron, minister for the colonies, in reply to a question as to whether Captain General Augusti had been given instructions in the event of being obliged to surrender and as to whether these instructions directed him to treat with Admiral Dewey, the American commander, or Aguinaldo, the insurgent chief, said the government had given no instructions on this subject.

**Asked to Maintain Neutrality.**  
Buenos Ayres, Argentina, June 11.—The American consul at Montevideo has requested the government of Paraguay to maintain neutrality during the war between Spain and the United States by fixing a time for the Spanish torpedo gunboat Tenerario to leave Paraguayan waters or by insisting upon the disarmament of the Spanish warship.

**Had Plans of Cadiz Fortification.**  
Gibraltar, June 11.—An American, it is reported, was arrested at Algeciras, on the Bay of Gibraltar, Spain, last night, charged with being in possession of the plans of the fortifications at Cadiz.

**SPANISH WARSHIPS**  
Report That Four Were Seen Lurking Off Cape Henry.  
Washington, June 11.—The following special from Old Point Direct has been received here from private sources.  
Fort Monroe, Va., June 10.—This evening a report was received here from Cape Henry that a Spanish battleship, two cruisers and a torpedoblast were seen lurking outside the capes, caused considerable activity at the forts, the troops sleeping by their guns. All of the officers at the hotels were called to their posts. Considerable excitement ensued among the civilians and some uneasiness was apparent among the guests of the hotels.

**HAS A CHARMED LIFE**  
Engine and Thirty Cars Pass Over a Child Slightly Wounding It.  
Lima, O., June 11.—A three-year-old boy named Boss, while playing on the C. & E. railroad tracks at McGuffey, east of this city, attempted to get off the track before a freight train came along, but slipped and fell between the rails. The pilot cleared him and the engine and 30 cars passed over his body before the train could be stopped. The boy was uninjured except a small wound on his left arm.

**Governor Bushnell Returns.**  
Columbus, O., June 11.—Governor Bushnell and staff have returned from their Wisconsin trip. The governor participated in the celebration at Madison of the semicentennial of the admission of Wisconsin into the Union, and tendered an invitation to the governor of that state to participate in the Ohio centennial celebration in 1903 at Toledo, which was accepted.

**Charged With Violating Civil Service Law**  
Frankfort, Ky., June 11.—Charges have been made out and forwarded to Washington against Internal Revenue Commissioner Scott for violation of the civil service law. The charges are the result of the Todd H. Evans race for congress in that district, it being alleged that Scott is taking an offensive part in the fight for Evans.

**Fast Time on the Wabash.**  
Springfield, Ill., June 11.—Passenger train No. 5 on the Wabash has beat the record of the Continental limited on that road made Wednesday which was until then the fastest time ever made in the west. The train was 55 minutes late and the 71 miles between Tilton and Decatur, including a 1-minute stop at Toulon was made in 68 minutes.

**Hanged to an Electric Light Pole.**  
Wenar, Tex., June 11.—Constable Lee Wall was killed yesterday afternoon by George Washington, a negro, who tried to make his escape, but was captured. He was hanged to an electric light pole by 500 people.

**BRADSTREET**  
The General Spring Business Largely Meets Expectations.  
New York, June 11.—Bradstreet today says: Accompanying reports of a seasonable quieting down of the spring demand for, and movement of, merchandise come proofs that the spring business of the year of 1898, with a few notable exceptions, has largely met expectations. Particularly confirming this latter view of the case are the heavy totals of bank clearings, large railway earnings, heavy exports, a total of failures well down to the normal, and exceptional steadiness in prices following the notable advances registered some time ago. Weaker and lower prices for a number of cereals, during the past week, in the face of heavy export business, point to the very good crop prospects, for wheat and other grains, influencing holders toward parting with their stocks.

Statistics of pigiron production point to a slight reduction in output during the month just closed, due largely to shutdowns for repairs, but the failure of stocks to accumulate gives proof that the immense recent production has been met by an equally large consumptive demand.

Features of the price situation this week are the steadiness of nearly all classes of groceries, of raw cotton and poultry, and of hides, leather and lumber, while decreases are reported in the cereals, lard, pork, copper and steel rails.

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**HAWAII**  
House Decides to Take Up the Annexation Resolution.  
Washington, June 11.—The feature of yesterday's session of the house was the securing of an agreement to consider and vote upon Mr. Newland's resolution to annex Hawaii. Beginning today the debate will proceed until 5 o'clock next Wednesday afternoon, when a vote will be taken. The annexationists were determined to force consideration and for three hours the opposition filibustered. Eight Democrats voted with the annexationists in the movement to force consideration of the resolutions, they being Messrs. Berry (Ky.), Devries (Cal.), Livingston (Ga.), Brucker (Mich.), Cummings, Sulzer and Vohlsig (N. Y.) and Cochran (Mo.).

**Hawaiian Annexation.**  
Washington, June 11.—Senator Frye, who in the absence of Senator Davis is acting as chairman of the senate committee on foreign relations, said yesterday that he would ask the senate to take up the Hawaiian annexation resolution as soon as it should pass the house. He thinks it will be possible to get the resolution next Thursday and expresses the opinion that the senate can be held in session long enough to secure action.

**STATE OF WAR.**  
Reign of Terror Caused by the Baker-Howard Feud.  
Middletown, Ky., June 11.—The news from the Howard-Baker feud in Clay county, is startling. Howard's party, 50 strong, has taken possession of the town of Manchester. The Baker following, consisting of 40 well armed men, have rendezvoused three miles from the town. Judge Brown is wholly unable to proceed with holding court. Although he expects troops sent by Governor Bradley, it is feared the two parties will come into collision before the troops can arrive.

**Weather.**  
Indiana and Illinois—Partly cloudy weather with showers in northern portion.

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The Oregon, both the battleship and the state, are making a record for themselves this year.

The populists of the state of Washington are said to be very much discontented since the election in Oregon.

Hobson continues to get his full share of praise along with Dewey. They are each deserving of all the good things said about them.

PRESIDENT MCKINLEY is steadfast for the annexation of Hawaii and in this he represents the best judgment of the majority of the people of the United States.

The yellow fever in the south is more to be dreaded by this country than the war with Spain. The loss of life in a general epidemic would be greater and the loss in business would more than equal the cost of war, and so we are to dread the fever more.

Ex-PRESIDENT HARRISON says truly of the American navy: "I consider the American navy, ship for ship, gun for gun and man for man, unequalled by any navy in the world today. The courage and daring of our men, the personnel of the officers of our ships, the gunnery, the nerve spirit manifested in all done, offer to the world the spectacle of a navy for which there is no superior."

Coal oil does not seem to agree with the new asphalt streets recently built at Columbus. Yesterday a broken can spilled its contents over a good sized block of the asphalt and softened it so that it had to be repaired with new material. This is the third time since the streets were laid only a few weeks ago that repairs have been made necessary by the spilling of oil on the asphalt. Seymour's brick streets are a little more noisy, but they will stand all the applications of coal oil or anything else that they may come in contact with them.

ENGLAND seems just now much more anxious for the Anglo-American alliance than this country. We have demonstrated to the world that we are abundantly able to take care of ourselves and our favor is being courted by more than one of the nations of Europe. Yesterday in the British house of commons, said in effect that negotiations are pending for the appointment of a commission to consider and recommend settlement of the questions now in dispute between the United States and Great Britain and also to consider matters of imperial interest, which is interpreted to mean an Anglo-American alliance. A prolonged debate followed and the entire discussion exhibited an eagerness on the part of the commons for an Anglo-American alliance.

As there appears to be some difference of opinion as to the precise issue in the Oregon election, so far as currency matters are concerned, the following extract from the platform of the party that won may prove enlightening: "We are in favor of the maintenance of the present gold standard; we are unqualifiedly opposed to the free coinage of silver and to all other schemes looking to the debasement of the currency and the repudiation of debt; we declare that the interests of all classes and all sections of our country alike demand a sound and stable financial system."

There does not seem to have been much of a straddle in this, though heretofore the Oregon republicans have been supposed to be much divided on the currency. It will be seen that this year they went much farther than the republican platform of 1896, and they made their big gains in opposition to the fusion of the silver democrats, the silver republicans and the populists.—Courier Journal.

**CASITORIA.**

The Kind You Have Always Bought

Bears the Signature of

Indiana May Send a Regiment Yet. Governor Mount yesterday talked with Governor Pingree, of Michigan, over the telephone. The Michigan governor said he had received information from Secretary Alger, who came from Michigan, that the state would be given a regiment after it had filled up its present regiments. Michigan and Indiana stand on about the same war footing and Governor Mount said last night he was confident Indiana would get a regiment after it had filled up its organizations now in the field. This regiment will be taken from the towns already announced and the officers will be named by the governor, who, however, will hear the wishes of the company officers.

"Since my talk with Governor Pingree this evening I am satisfied that we shall get a regiment under this call after we have filled up our regiments now in the field," said the governor last night, but we must fill up our present organization first. If Michigan gets one we shall get one and Governor Pingree has been told by the secretary of war that Michigan would get one."

## POLITICAL BREVITIES.

There was a conference of the republican county chairmen and secretaries of the Fourth district and district chairman McNutt at North Vernon yesterday.

A. A. Winslow, of Hammond, has been appointed consul to Liege, Belgium, in place of Marcus R. Sulzer who was appointed but resigned the place recently.

Last Tuesday, Wisconsin celebrated the fiftieth anniversary of her admission to the Union. In the lifetime of a middle-aged man, the population of the state has increased to 2,137,315 is now estimated by the governor of the state.

## PERSONAL.

Hilda, daughter of George Huber, is no better.

Miss Mary Meek went today to Vernon to visit relatives.

John England and wife, of the county seat, is the guest of friends here.

Miss Corda Barnett came home today from a visit to Hanover friends.

Mrs. J. H. Nolting came home today from a five week's visit to Vincennes.

Mrs. Fred Clark returned today to Norris City, Ill., from a visit to friends here.

W. H. Dale and wife came here today from Mitchell to spend Sunday with friends.

Judge Voyles, of Salem, took a change for the better Friday and his recovery is probable.

John Jackson returned today to Riverdale from a visit to his daughter Mrs. William Childers.

William Luton and wife returned today to North Vernon from a visit to Mrs. S. T. Sutton.

Mrs. Thomas C. Siedel left today for Chicago and Juno, Wis., to visit relatives and friends.

Henry, one year old son of George Bohnenkamp, who has been very sick, is but little better.

John Murphy and wife returned today to Butlerville from a visit to his sons, Charles and Jacob.

Joab Murphy, who has been confined to his home with malarial trouble, was out Friday for the first.

Mrs. W. J. Keely, of Cincinnati, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Valentine Vogel, who is improving.

John E. Daly, of the Postal Telegraph Co., is home from a visit to his brother Homer, of Paragould, Ark.

Mrs. Anthony McGinty and Miss Grace McGinty went this morning to North Vernon to visit friends.

Lawt Jackson a student of the Danville normal returned today to Valonia to spend the summer vacation.

Misses Sophia Martin and Bernice Robertson have returned to Ewing from a pleasant visit to Seymour friends.

E. M. Young went today to Cincinnati. From there he goes to Paris, Ky., to spend Sunday with his daughter, who is visiting there.

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The alchemists of the middle ages believed that somewhere in the universe was to be found a universal solvent which would dissolve the most refractory substances as readily as water dissolves sugar. They named their solvent liquor alkabest, and what time they could spare from the search after the elixir of life and the philosopher's stone was spent in the endeavor to obtain it. Science has yet to prove, by the way, that there was not more method in the madness of the alchemists than is generally supposed, for in the remarkable substance fluorine chemists possess material that approximates very closely to a universal solvent. Its chemical energy is so fierce that, except gold and platinum, nothing can resist it, and even gold and platinum succumb to fluorine in time. The mere contact of most substances with fluorine is sufficient to cause not mere solution, but light, flame and fierce detonations. Dull, inert flint takes fire when exposed to fluorine vapor and becomes a brilliant incandescent mass. Lamplack bursts into flame, while charcoal burns with bright scintillations. Only the diamond is able to resist this powerful solvent, to which it does not succumb even at high temperature. The similar element silicon, which can be obtained in a crystalline form closely resembling the diamond, gives a magnificent display in the presence of fluorine, the crystals becoming white hot and throwing showers of fiery spangles in all directions. The heat is so intense that the crystals melt, showing that their temperature has reached 1,900 degrees C. Phosphorus combines fiercely with fluorine. Prussian blue, on account of the cyanogen it contains, burns with a beautiful pink flame, while from a crystal of iodine placed in fluorine vapor a heavy liquid distills with a pale flame. This liquid—an iodide of fluorine—etches glass, and if thrown into water hisses like hot iron. The last named metal becomes white hot when exposed to fluorine; even iron rust behaves in a similar manner. Nearly all metals are raised to vivid incandescence in a current of the gas, many appearing very beautiful, especially aluminum and zinc. If the latter be slightly warmed, it bursts into a white flame too dazzling to gaze at or describe.

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So far all experiments had been conducted with fluorine gas, which, at the time it was isolated, resisted all attempts to reduce it to the liquid state. Six years ago, however, there was no laboratory—such as that at the Royal Institution—having powerful machinery for producing liquid air or liquid oxygen at the command of the investigator. In fact, liquid air itself was practically unknown. By the aid of this weapon Professors Dewar and Moissan have succeeded in liquefying fluorine. At the extremely low temperature of liquid oxygen it was found that fluorine did not attack glass, and it was possible to use glass vessels to hold the newly liquefied element.—C. F. Townsend in Knowledge.

The funeral of Nathan Browning yesterday was the largest that ever took place in Brownstown township. Religious services by Rev. Allen, of the M. E. church at Pleasant Grove. Burial at Brownstown.

During the electrical storm Thursday evening, lightning struck the farm residence of John Waskom, near Tampico, tearing off a part of one side of the house. The house was not set on fire.

Wright's Colery Tea regulates the liver and kidneys, cures constipation and sick headache. 25c at all druggists.

## BASEBALL.

Standing of the Clubs.

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St. Paul	27	15	.643	Minneapolis	15	27	.357
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Milwaukee	23	18	.562	Detroit	15	28	.349
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Cincinnati	30	13	.698	Pittsburg	23	22	.511
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Baltimore	24	15	.615	St. Louis	16	27	.372
Chicago	23	21	.522	Washington	15	28	.349
New York	23	21	.522	Louisville	11	32	.254

## WESTERN LEAGUE.

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Indianapolis	28	13	2	2
St. Paul	27	15	1	1
Boston	25	16	1	1
Milwaukee	23	18	1	1
Columbus	22	19	1	1

(Detroit left the field before the last half of the ninth inning was played to catch a train and the umpire awarded the game to Kansas City 9 to 0.)

Omaha-Columbus—Rain.

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Clubs.	Pitches.	R.	H.	E.
St. Louis	28	13	3	0
Chicago	27	15	2	0
Philadelphia	26	16	2	0
Washington	25	17	2	0
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## Deafness Cannot be Cured.

By local applications as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure deafness, and that is by constitutional remedies. Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube. When this tube is inflamed you have a rumbling sound or imperfect hearing and when it is entirely closed, deafness is the result and unless the inflammation can be taken out and this tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forever; nine cases out of ten are caused by Catarrh, which is nothing but an inflamed condition of the mucous surfaces.

We will give One Hundred Dollars for any case of Deafness (caused by catarrh) that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure. Send for circulars free.

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Called Grain-O. It is a delicious, appetizing, nourishing food drink to take the place of coffee. Sold by all grocers and liked by all who have used it because when properly prepared it tastes like the finest coffee but is free from all its injurious properties. Grain-O aids digestion and strengthens the nerves. It is not a stimulant but a health builder and children, as well as adults, can drink it with great benefit. Costs about as much as coffee. 15 and 25c.

Special Sunday Excursion to Indianapolis June 12th.

The Pennsylvania Lines will sell excursion tickets at round trip rate of seventy five cents to Indianapolis from Seymour on special train leaving at 9:21 a. m. central time; returning leave Indianapolis 7 p. m. June 12th.

## Fighting Bob Evans Uses Allen's Foot-Ease

"Fortress Monroe, Va., April 12th. Dear Sir:—Enclosed find money order for \$1. Please send Allen's Foot-Ease to Captain Evans, U. S. N. Comd'g Battleship Iowa, Key West, Fla. Also send to Naval Cadet Frank Taylor Evans, Battleship Massachusetts, Hampton Roads, Va." Letters like this come daily. Allen's Foot-Ease is a powder to be shaken into the shoes. It gives Rest and Comfort to swollen, aching, hot, sweating, tired feet. If you walk, march or stand you want it. All druggists and shoe stores sell it, 25c. Sample sent FREE. Address Allen S. Olmsted, Le Roy, N. Y.

I was seriously afflicted with a cough or several years, and last fall had a more severe cough than ever before. I have used many remedies without receiving much relief, and being recommended to try a bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, by a friend who, knowing me to be a poor widow, gave it to me, I tried it, and with the most gratifying results. The first bottle relieved me very much and the second bottle has absolutely cured me. I have not had as good health for twenty years. I give this certificate without solicitation, simply in appreciation of the gratitude felt for the cure effected.—Respectfully, Mrs. MARY A. BEARD, Claremore, Ark. For sale by C. W. Milhou.

## Shake Out Your Shoes

Allen's Foot-Ease, a powder for feet. It cures painful, swollen, nervous feet and instantly takes the sting out of corns and bunions. It's the greatest comfort discovery of the age. Allen's Foot-Ease makes tight or new shoes feel easy. It is a certain cure for sweating, callous and hot, tired, aching feet. Try it today. Sold by all druggists and shoe stores. By mail for 25c in stamps. Trial price, 10c. Address Allen S. Olmsted, Le Roy, N. Y.

Or do you seek the place where the best goods can be found at the least money? We don't know much about selling groceries or hardware, but we have made a study of clothing and shoes for years and we are still learning. If you will only take a little of your time and see our line of Men's fine suits from \$4.00 to \$10.00 in shoes you will find we knock competition.

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The following is the list of letters remaining in the postoffice at this place and if not called for within 14 days will be sent to the dead letter office:

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Brown Miss Emma Bunkon Michael  
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There is a rush now to the choice unoccupied farm lands along the line of the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul Railway in Central Wisconsin.

Good quarter sections can now be had for \$7.00 and upwards per acre one-third cash, balance on long time at current rate of interest.

For further particulars address W. E. Powell, General Immigration Agent 410 Old Colony Bldg, Chicago, Ill.

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Honson continues to get his full share of praise along with Dewey. They are each deserving of all the good things said about them.

PRESIDENT McKINLEY is steadfast for the annexation of Hawaii and in this he represents the best judgment of the majority of the people of the United States.

The yellow fever in the south is more to be dreaded by this country than the war with Spain. The loss of life in a general epidemic would be greater and the loss in business would more than equal the cost of war, and so we are to dread the fever more.

Ex-PRESIDENT Harrison says truly of the American navy: "I consider the American navy, ship for ship, gun for gun and man for man, unequalled by any navy in the world today. The courage and daring of our men, the personnel of the officers of our ships, the gunnery, the nerve spirit manifested in all done, offer to the world the spectacle of a navy for which there is no superior."

COAL oil does not seem to agree with the new asphalt streets recently built at Columbus. Yesterday a broken can spilled its contents over a good sized block of the asphalt and softened it so that it had to be repaired with new material. This is the third time since the streets were laid only a few weeks ago that repairs have been made necessary by the spilling of oil on the asphalt. Seymour's brick streets are a little more noisy, but they will stand all the applications of coal oil or anything else that they may come in contact with them.

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As there appears to be some difference of opinion as to the precise issue in the Oregon election, so far as currency matters are concerned, the following extract from the platform of the party that won may prove enlightening: "We are in favor of the maintenance of the present gold standard; we are unqualifiedly opposed to the free coinage of silver and to all other schemes looking to the debasement of the currency and the repudiation of debt; we declare that the interests of all classes and all sections of our country alike demand a sound and stable financial system."

There does not seem to have been much of a straddle in this, though heretofore the Oregon republicans have been supposed to be much divided on the currency. It will be seen that this year they went much farther than the republican platform of 1896, and they made their big gains in opposition to the fusion of the silver democrats, the silver republicans and the populists.—Courier Journal.

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The alchemists of the middle ages believed that somewhere in the universe was to be found a universal solvent which would dissolve the most refractory substances as readily as water dissolves sugar. They named their solvent liquor alkahest, and what time they could spare from the search after the elixir of life and the philosopher's stone was spent in the endeavor to obtain it. Science has yet to prove, by the way, that there was not more method in the madness of the alchemists than in the generally supposed, for in the remarkable substance fluorine chemists possess material that approximates very closely to a universal solvent. Its chemical energy is so fierce that, except gold and platinum, nothing can resist it, and even gold and platinum succumb to fluorine in time. The mere contact of most substances with fluorine is sufficient to cause not mere solution, but light, flame and fierce detonations. Dull, inert flint takes fire when exposed to fluorine vapor and becomes a brilliant incandescent mass. Lampblack bursts into flame, while charcoal burns with bright scintillations. Only the diamond is able to resist this powerful solvent, to which it does not succumb even at high temperature. The similar element silicon, which can be obtained in a crystalline form closely resembling the diamond, gives a magnificent display in the presence of fluorine, the crystals becoming white hot and throwing showers of fiery spangles in all directions. The heat is so intense that the crystals melt, showing that their temperature has reached 1,200 degrees C.

Phosphorus combines fiercely with fluorine. Prussian blue, on account of the cyanogen it contains, burns with a beautiful pink flame, while from a crystal of iodine placed in fluorine vapor a heavy liquid distills with a pale flame. This liquid—an iodide of fluorine—etches glass, and if thrown into water hisses like hot iron. The last named metal becomes white hot when exposed to fluorine; even iron rust behaves in a similar manner. Nearly all metals are raised to vivid incandescence in a current of the gas, many appearing very beautiful, especially aluminum and zinc. If the latter be slightly warmed, it bursts into a white flame too dazzling to gaze at or describe.

Although it has been known in various states of combination for many years, having been first discovered by Schwannhardt of Nuremberg, in 1670, and rediscovered by Scheele in 1771, fluorine was not obtained as a free element until about six years ago, when the French chemist Moissan succeeded in isolating it by employing a current of electricity from 26 or 28 Dunsen batteries. The current was passed through the compound of fluorine and hydrogen known as hydrofluoric acid, which is similar to hydrochloric acid. To improve the conductivity of the hydrofluoric acid it was necessary to dissolve another fluorine compound in the liquid. As will readily be imagined, it is not so difficult to obtain free fluorine as to keep it when obtained. Every part of the apparatus used by M. Moissan was made of platinum, with screw joints and washers of lead, which swell on contact with fluorine, all the stoppers being of fluor spar. Fluorine has a powerful affinity for silicon, one of the principal constituents of glass, so that it was impossible to use glass vessels or tubes to contain the gas.

As regards the chemical nature of fluorine, it is a gas at ordinary temperature and is the lightest member of the series of elements containing chlorine, bromine and iodine. The attraction of fluorine for hydrogen exceeds that of chlorine and is so great that if a slow current of fluorine gas be passed into a tube of fluor spar containing a drop of water a dark fog is produced, which changes presently to a blue vapor consisting of ozone—the condensed form of oxygen. The last named substance appears to be one of the few materials which has no affinity for fluorine. Nothing is observed to take place between them even when they are heated up to 1,000 degrees F.

So far all experiments had been conducted with fluorine gas, which, at the time it was isolated, resisted all attempts to reduce it to the liquid state. Six years ago, however, there was no laboratory—such as that at the Royal Institution—having powerful machinery for producing liquid air or liquid oxygen at the command of the investigator. In fact, liquid air itself was practically unknown. By the aid of this weapon Professors Dewar and Moissan have succeeded in liquefying fluorine. At the extremely low temperature of liquid oxygen it was found that fluorine did not attack glass, and it was possible to use glass vessels to hold the newly liquefied element.—C. F. Townsend in Knowledge.

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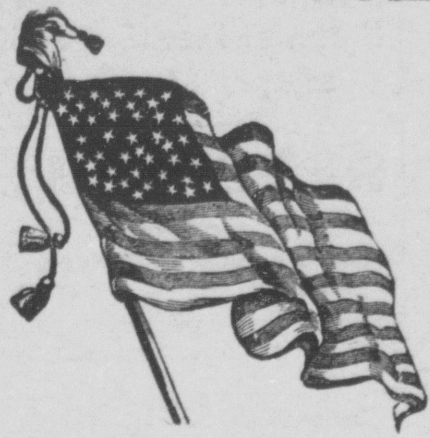
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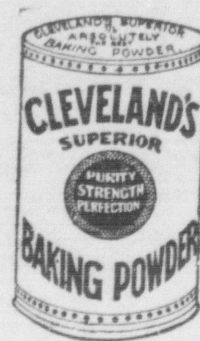
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## BAIQUIRI

American Fleet Shells a Min-  
ing Locality Near  
Aguadores.

## ARMY OF INVASION

Has Not Yet Sailed for  
Cuba, But Waiting  
For a Convoy.

## MAKING HASTE SLOWLY

War Department Will Not Take One  
Small Chance of the Transports Being  
Attacked—Sampson Officially Reports  
the Bombardment of Guantanamo—Hob-  
son's Act Extended by the English Press.  
Vienna Dispatch Says a Crisis Exists in  
Spain—General War News.

Havana, June 11.—(From a Spanish  
correspondent.)—Several American war-  
ships yesterday bombarded Baiquiri,  
some distance east of Aguadores and  
near the railway line to Santiago de  
Cuba.

Official advices from Santiago say that  
the bombardment "caused no damage."  
Baiquiri is a mining locality and some  
of the mines are under American con-  
trol.

At the palace it is denied that there  
was any bombardment of the Santiago  
fortifications yesterday.

HAS NOT SAILED.

Army of Invasion Still on the United  
States Coast.

Washington, June 11.—Out of the  
maze of doubt and contradiction as to  
the dispatch of the first army of inva-  
sion to Cuba one thing stands out clearly,  
namely, that the government, feeling  
strong in its present position and  
plan, is moving cautiously and with the  
deliberation which it believes will se-  
cure success unattended with disasters.

With this main purpose in view, the  
army and navy are co-operating toward  
the dispatch of the troops (some 25,000  
in number) under escort of a strong  
fleet of naval convoys, made up of 16  
warships, headed by the battleship In-  
diana. Unattended by this strong fleet,  
the troops might have left last Friday,  
when one strong naval convoy was  
ready for this service. Since then,  
however, reports have come as to the  
presence of Spanish ships in the north  
Atlantic.

Realizing that nothing was to be  
gained by haste and that the war was  
progressing steadily toward success, it  
was determined not to take the one  
small chance of having our troop trans-  
ports menaced by some scouting ship of  
the enemy. As a result, the troop trans-  
ports have not proceeded to Cuba as has  
been repeatedly asserted. They are in  
readiness to go, but will not move until  
the naval convoy is ready to accompany  
them, assuring safe conduct from Flori-  
da to the point of destination.

Whether that will be today the war  
department positively declines to say,  
and there is authority for the statement  
that any reports purporting to give the

hour or day when this formidable flo-  
tilla of invasion will start is not only  
unwarranted, but meets with the most  
vigorous of condemnation. The admin-  
istration feels that the time has come  
when it is of utmost importance that  
the precise movements of the invading  
fleet should not be published in this  
country, and thus heralded to the en-  
emy.

The entire transport fleet of about 50  
steamships, augmented by the fleet of  
naval convoys, 16 in number, will make  
a formidable procession, exceeding in  
magnitude the notable spectacle of the  
naval review during the world's fair  
year.

The first official confirmation of the  
engagement at Guantanamo last Tues-  
day came to the navy department yester-  
day and was made the subject of a  
bulletin. The terms in which Admiral  
Sampson described the affair tended  
strongly to take away the large impor-  
tance that had been given it in unofficial  
dispatches. There was a notable failure  
on the part of the admiral to men-  
tion anything like a landing, although  
the statement that the Marbled now  
holds the lower bay by implication may  
carry with it the idea that her marines  
are ashore.

The senate agreed to conference com-  
mittee's report on the war revenue bill,  
last evening after four hours debate.  
The vote was 43 to 22.

HOBSON'S ACT EXTENDED.

Comments of the English Weekly Press  
on Hispano-American Situation.

LONDON, June 11.—The weekly papers  
in their review of the week as bearing  
upon the Hispano-American situation,  
regard its events as a distinct step to-  
ward America's triumph.

The Spectator, extolling the act of  
Lieutenant Hobson in sinking the Mer-  
rimac, says: "The feat is of itself suffi-  
cient to indicate the certain result of  
war. You cannot beat a nation whose  
officers and men are equally ready to  
perish in a forlorn hope, if it only may  
advance a national object. As to the  
general situation in Spain there can be  
no doubt that when the truth is realized  
and nothing more can be hoped for from  
Cervera, Spain, and especially southern  
Spain, will explode in a burst of revolu-  
tionary passion."

The Speaker says: "Both at Santiago  
and apparently at Manila resistance is  
hopeless and Spain must soon be led to  
see it."

The Saturday review says: "The  
moment is opportune for the interven-  
tion of France whose good offices would  
certainly be acceptable to both countries  
and an honorable peace might be se-  
cured."

CHICKAMAUGA.

No Further Removals South are Antici-  
pated for Some Time.

Chickamauga National Military Park,  
Ga., June 11.—The general impression  
prevails at General Brooke's headquar-  
ters that there will be no removals from  
this place to points south until the gov-  
ernment is ready to send another army  
directly to Cuba and then it is believed  
that troops will be sent directly to the  
point of embarkation and thence at once  
shipped. The reason for this belief,  
given by Colonel Richards of General  
Brooke's staff, is that the health of the  
army being excellent here and all facilities  
for their subsistence being at hand it  
is not probable that any chances will  
be taken by making another change of  
water and climate until the time comes  
to go to the front.

Five days rations are being issued to  
the various regiments and in order that  
the public might judge whether there  
is any truth in the special reports sent  
out from here as to the shortage of food  
the following statement of what the  
Eighty New York received, all others  
receiving proportionately the same, will  
be of interest: Two hundred and thirty  
pounds of salt; 522 pounds of coffee;  
700 pounds of beans; 50 gallons of vine-  
gar; 700 pounds of sugar; 1,000 pounds  
of onions; 240 pounds of soap; 80 pounds  
of candles; 979 pounds of bacon; 3,903  
pounds of potatoes; 4,740 pounds of  
bread and 4,261 pounds of fresh beef.

MONTEREY AT SAN DIEGO.

Put Into Port For a Supply of Coal and  
Water.

San Diego, Cal., June 11.—The United  
States steamship Monterey and her  
consort the Brutus, supposed to be  
speeding on their way toward Honolulu  
and Manila, were sighted yesterday  
steaming south toward San Diego at a  
good rate of speed, the Monterey lead-  
ing. They arrived off the harbor dur-  
ing the evening and separated, the  
Brutus going about five miles south and  
anchoring while the Monterey came in  
rapidly and dropped her anchor off the  
coal bunkers.

A cutter containing Paymaster Rogers  
and an ensign came ashore as soon as  
the boat could be launched and Pay-  
master Rogers stated briefly to a re-  
porter that they had simply come in  
here for coal and water and would sail  
this afternoon at high tide for Honolu-  
lu. Being asked if there was anything  
the matter with the engines, machinery  
or crew, he said nothing whatever, all  
is well on board. It was suggested  
that the course taken was a little out of  
the usual one and he said it would  
make little difference in the time of ar-  
rival at Honolulu. The officer accom-  
panying the paymaster stated that they  
met heavy weather the second day out  
and lost overboard 83 tons of coal which  
was secured in netting on the Mon-  
terey's decks.

FORCE THE HARBOR.

Believed That Is Sampson's Plan at San-  
tiago on Landing of Troops.

Off Santiago de Cuba, June 9, via  
Kingston, Jamaica, June 11.—It is be-  
lieved the navy will follow the landing  
of troops by forcing the passage of the  
narrow channel leading to the harbor of

## DESPERATE DEFENSE

Spaniards Preparing For a  
Hard Fight at  
Santiago.

## ABOUT 5,000 STRONG

Are the Insurgents Near  
the City, Partially  
Armed.

## REBEL GENERAL MINIET

Pays a Visit to Sampson Aboard the New  
York—Commander Delehanty Landing  
Supplies to Cuban Soldiers, Many of  
Whom Are Half Starved—Ensign Gil-  
pin's Experience in an Insurgent Camp.  
United States Will Have to Carry Out  
Its Plans Without Much Aid From  
Garcia's Men.

Off Santiago de Cuba, June 9, via  
Kingston, Jamaica, June 11.—In San-  
tiago de Cuba there are now about 20,000  
Spanish soldiers, chiefly infantry, but  
with a fair contingent of cavalry and  
field artillery drawn from the surround-  
ing country. During the daytime the  
cavalry skirmish in the vicinity of the  
city, returning at night to barracks.  
During the last few days the activity of  
the Spaniards has been noticeable.  
Oxen trains have been making their  
way to the batteries, detachments have  
been working on emplacements and there  
have been other signs that the  
Spaniards are preparing a desperate re-  
sistance.

The insurgents, about 5,000 strong,  
have taken a position on a mountain to  
the westward. Two thousand insur-  
gents of this gathering are unarmed.  
General Maximo Gomez, now about 150  
miles inland, is making his way toward  
the coast. Admiral Sampson is actively  
co-operating with the insurgents. Yes-  
terday General Miniet, of the insurgent  
forces, and his staff went on board the  
New York for a long consultation.

The naval officers have been doing  
splendid and daring work in carrying  
communications to the insurgents, land-  
ing arms and making trips ashore for  
the purpose of gaining information.

Lieutenant Sharp of the Vixen and  
Lieutenant Commander Delehanty of  
the Svanee have been daily entrusted  
with important missions and have car-  
ried them out successfully. The Vixen's  
work has been carrying messages to and  
fro, but the Svanee has a more serious  
task. This little gunboat has landed  
300,000 round of small arms ammuni-  
tion, 300 Springfield rifles, 100 carbines,  
2,000 machetes, with equipments and  
provisions. These were landed over  
Wednesday, about 15 miles off Santiago,  
to some 800 insurgents who came down  
to the beach, the main body remaining  
in the mountains.

The Cubans were hard up for supplies  
and ammunition and were overjoyed at  
the sight of the Svanee cargo. Some,  
almost ravenous, hacked at the slices of  
bacon and ate raw beef. They had  
been living on limes, coconuts and  
sweet potatoes. Ensign Gilpin of the  
Svanee went ashore and accompanied the  
Cubans to their temporary camp in-  
land. Describing his experience at the  
camp, which is about 10 miles inland,  
he said:

"I found the insurgents a rough look-  
ing and mixed lot of boys and old men,  
rigged out any way, carrying arms of  
all sorts and all anxious to borrow every-  
thing I had, from my blouse to my re-  
volver. Four Spanish soldiers in uniform,  
carrying rifles, marched into the camp  
while I was there and said they wanted  
to join the insurgents. They were en-  
rolled, but a close watch was kept on  
them, as they belonged to the civil  
guard. A Cuban officer told me such  
additions were not infrequent. The  
Spaniards had Mauser rifles, which were  
in fairly good condition."

Conservative authorities believe the  
United States troops will have to carry  
out their plan of campaign without  
placing much reliance upon the insur-  
gents.

Has Given No Instructions.

Madrid, June 11.—In the chamber of  
deputies yesterday Senor Romero Giron,  
minister for the colonies, in reply to a  
question as to whether Captain General  
Augusti had been given instructions in  
the event of being obliged to surrender  
and as to whether these instructions di-  
rected him to treat with Admiral  
Dewey, the American commander, or  
Aguinaldo, the insurgent chief, said  
the government had given no instruc-  
tions on this subject.

Asked to Maintain Neutrality.

Buenos Ayres, Argentina, June 11.—  
The American consul at Montevideo has  
requested the government of Paraguay  
to maintain neutrality during the war  
between Spain and the United States by  
fixing a time for the Spanish torpedo  
gunboat Ternerio to leave Paraguayan  
waters or by insisting upon the dis-  
armament of the Spanish warship.

Had Plans of Cadiz Fortification.

Gibraltar, June 11.—An American, it  
is reported, was arrested at Algeciras,  
on the Bay of Gibraltar, Spain, last  
night, charged with being in possession  
of the plans of the fortifications at Cadiz.



## FIRST KENTUCKY.

Only Regiment in Volunteer Service Re-  
cruited to Full Strength.

Louisville, June 11.—The First reg-  
iment, Kentucky volunteers, (Louisville  
legion), broke camp at Lexington late  
yesterday afternoon and left over the  
Cincinnati Southern for Chickamauga,  
where they arrived today. The reg-  
iment is 1,350 strong and under the com-  
mand of Colonel John B. Castleman. It  
is the only volunteer regiment in the  
United States recruited up to its full  
strength, although it is the last of all  
the volunteer regiments to move.

CRISIS EXISTS.

Spain Asks Austria About Intervention  
of Powers.

LONDON, June 11.—The Vienna corre-  
spondent of The Daily Telegraph says:  
"Authentic reports have been received  
here that the situation in Madrid is ad-  
vancing with the greatest rapidity. There  
is no doubt that a crisis exists. Spain  
will entreat the intervention of the  
powers almost immediately; and con-  
fidential inquiries in this sense have  
already been made here."

Secretary Alger Pleaded.

Washington, June 11.—Secretary Al-  
ger has expressed his gratification at the  
nomination by the president of J. War-  
ren Keifer of Ohio to be a major gen-  
eral of the United States volunteer  
army. He said that by virtue of his  
brilliant military record in the late civil  
war and his sound physical condition,  
General Keifer was admirably equipped  
to re-enter the United States army.

REPORT WAS UNTRUE.

General Linares Says the Torpedobomb  
Destroyer Was Not Sunk.

LONDON, June 11.—The Madrid corre-  
spondent of The Standard says General  
Linares, commanding the Spanish forces  
in the province of Santiago de Cuba,  
cables that "Nothing has occurred dur-

ing the last 24 hours; that the Ameri-  
cans have not succeeded in affecting a  
landing, but the fleet is still off the har-  
bor." General Linares says the report  
that a Spanish torpedobomb destroyer  
has been sunk is untrue.

Harrison's Assignment to Lee Temporary.

Jacksonville, Fla., June 11.—Russell  
Harrison, son of the ex-president, and  
Vice President Hobart's son have ar-  
rived in the city to assume the respec-  
tive duties of inspector and assistant ad-  
jutant on General Lee's staff. Harri-  
son's assignment to Lee will only be  
temporary, and it is stated on good au-  
thority that before long he will be placed  
elsewhere.

## THE MARKETS.

Prevailing Prices For Grain, Cattle and  
Provisions on June 10.

Indianapolis.

WHEAT—Normal; No. 2 red, 90c.  
COIN—Steady; No. 2 mixed, 32½c.  
OATS—Weak; No. 2 mixed, 20½c.  
CATTLE—Slow at \$3.25-3.50.  
HOGS—Steady at \$4.00-4.10.  
SHEEP—Strong at \$2.00-2.10.  
LAMBS—Higher at \$3.00-3.50.

Chicago Grain and Provisions.

WHEAT—July opened 87½c, closed 88½c.  
SEPT.—opened 79c, closed 79½c.  
COIN—July opened 32½c, closed 33½c.  
OATS—July opened 24½c, closed 24½c.  
SEPT.—opened 21½c, closed 22½c.  
PORK—July opened \$10.35, closed \$10.30.  
LARD—July opened \$5.15, closed \$5.10.  
RIBS—July opened \$5.35, closed \$5.30.  
CLOSING CASH MARKETS: Wheat \$1.00½,  
corn 33c, oats 25c, pork \$10.20, lard \$5.00,  
ribs \$5.55.

Cincinnati Grain and Livestock.

WHEAT—Quiet; No. 2 red, \$1.00.  
COIN—Dull; No. 2 mixed, 33½c.  
OATS—Steady; No. 2 mixed, 23½c.  
HOGS—Strong at \$3.25-3.40.  
SHEEP—Steady at \$2.75-3.00.  
LAMBS—Quiet at \$5.00-5.50.

Toledo Grain.

WHEAT—Active; No. 2 cash, \$1.04½.  
COIN—Active; No. 2 mixed, 33½c.  
OATS—Dull; No. 2 mixed, 25c.

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which was accepted.

Charged With Violating Civil Service Law.

Frankfort, Ky., June 11.—Charges  
have been made out and forwarded to  
Washington against Internal Revenue  
Commissioner Scott for violation of the  
civil service law. The charges are the  
result of the Todd H. Evans race for  
congress in that district, it being al-  
leged that Scott is taking an offensive  
part in the fight for Evans.

Fast Time on the Wabash.

Springfield, Ill., June 11.—Passenger  
train No. 5 on the Wabash has beat the  
record of the Continental limited on  
that road made Wednesday which was  
until then the fastest time ever made in  
the west. The train was 55 minutes  
late and the 71 miles between Tilton  
and Decatur, including a 1-minute stop  
at Toulon was made in 68 minutes.

Hanged to an Electric Light Pole.

Wemar, Tex., June 11.—Constable  
Lee Wall was killed yesterday afternoon  
by George Washington, a negro, who  
tried to make his escape, but was cap-  
tured. He was hanged to an electric  
light pole by 500 people.

## BRADSTREET

The General Spring Business Largely  
Meets Expectations.

New York, June 11.—Bradstreet to-  
day says: Accompanying reports of a  
seasonable quieting down of the spring  
demand for, and movement of, mer-  
chandise come proofs that the spring  
business of the year of 1898, with a few  
notable exceptions, has largely met ex-  
pectations. Particularly confirming  
this latter view of the case are the  
heavy totals of bank clearings, large  
railway earnings, heavy exports, a total  
of failures well down to the normal, and  
exceptional steadiness in prices follow-  
ing the notable advances registered  
some time ago. Weaker and lower prices  
for a number of cereals, during the past  
week, in the face of heavy export busi-  
ness, point to the very good crop pros-  
pects for wheat and other grains, in-  
fluencing holders toward parting with  
their stocks.

Statistics of pigiron production point  
to a slight reduction in output during  
the month just closed, due largely to  
shutdowns for repairs, but the failure of  
stocks to accumulate gives proof that  
the immense recent production has been  
met by an equally large consumptive  
demand.

Features of the price situation this  
week are the steadiness of nearly all  
classes of groceries, of raw cotton and  
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The Oregon, both the battleship and the state, are making a record for themselves this year.

The populists of the state of Washington are said to be very much discontented since the election in Oregon.

Hobson continues to get his full share of praise along with Dewey. They are each deserving of all the good things said about them.

PRESIDENT MCKINLEY is steadfast for the annexation of Hawaii and in this he represents the best judgment of the majority of the people of the United States.

The yellow fever in the south is more to be dreaded by this country than the war with Spain. The loss of life in a general epidemic would be greater and the loss in business would more than equal the cost of war, and so we are to dread the fever more.

Ex-President Harrison says truly of the American navy: "I consider the American navy, ship for ship, gun for gun and man for man, unequalled by any navy in the world today. The courage and daring of our men, the personnel of the officers of our ships, the gunnery, the nerve spirit manifested in all done, offer to the world the spectacle of a navy for which there is no superior."

Coal oil does not seem to agree with the new asphalt streets recently built at Columbus. Yesterday a broken can spilled its contents over a good sized block of the asphalt and softened it so that it had to be repaired with new material. This is the third time since the streets were laid only a few weeks ago that repairs have been made necessary by the spilling of oil on the asphalt. Seymour's brick streets are a little more noisy, but they will stand all the applications of coal oil or anything else that they may come in contact with them.

ENGLAND seems just now much more anxious for the Anglo-American alliance than this country. We have demonstrated to the world that we are abundantly able to take care of ourselves and our favor is being courted by more than one of the nations of Europe. Yesterday in the British house of commons, said in effect that negotiations are pending for the appointment of a commission to consider and recommend settlement of the questions now in dispute between the United States and Great Britain and also to consider matters of imperial interest, which is interpreted to mean an Anglo-American alliance. A prolonged debate followed and the entire discussion exhibited an eagerness on the part of the commons for an Anglo-American alliance.

As there appears to be some difference of opinion as to the precise issue in the Oregon election, so far as currency matters are concerned, the following extract from the platform of the party that won may prove enlightening: "We are in favor of the maintenance of the present gold standard; we are unqualifiedly opposed to the free coinage of silver and to all other schemes looking to the debasement of the currency and the repudiation of debts; we declare that the interests of all classes and all sections of our country alike demand a sound and stable financial system."

There does not seem to have been much of a straddle in this, though heretofore the Oregon republicans have been supposed to be much divided on the currency. It will be seen that this year they went much farther than the republican platform of 1896, and they made their big gains in opposition to the fusion of the silver democrats, the silver republicans and the populists.—Courier Journal.

**CASTORIA.**  
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Indiana May Send a Regiment Yet.  
Governor Mount yesterday talked with Governor Pingree, of Michigan, over the telephone. The Michigan governor said he had received information from Secretary Alger, who came from Michigan, that the state would be given a regiment after it had filled up its present regiments. Michigan and Indiana stand on about the same war footing and Governor Mount said last night he was confident Indiana would get a regiment after it had filled up its organizations now in the field. This regiment will be taken from the towns already announced and the officers will be named by the governor, who, however, will hear the wishes of the company officers.

"Since my talk with Governor Pingree this evening I am satisfied that we shall get a regiment under this call after we have filled up our regiments now in the field," said the governor last night, but we must fill up our present organization first. If Michigan gets one we shall get one and Governor Pingree has been told by the secretary of war that Michigan would get one."

## POLITICAL BREVITIES.

There was a conference of the republican county chairmen and secretaries of the Fourth district and district chairman McNutt at North Vernon yesterday.

A. A. Winslow, of Hammond, has been appointed consul to Liege, Belgium, in place of Marcus R. Sulzer who was appointed but resigned the place recently.

## PERSONAL.

Hilda, daughter of George Huber, is no better.

Miss Mary Meek went today to Vernon to visit relatives.

John England and wife, of the county seat, is the guest of friends here.

Miss Corda Barnett came home today from a visit to Hanover friends.

Mrs. J. H. Nolting came home today from a five week's visit to Vincennes.

Mrs. Fred Clark returned today to Norris City, Ill., from a visit to friends here.

W. H. Dale and wife came here today from Mitchell to spend Sunday with friends.

Judge Voyles, of Salem, took a change for the better Friday and his recovery is probable.

John Jackson returned today to Elvendale from a visit to his daughter Mrs. William Childers.

William Lutton and wife returned today to North Vernon from a visit to Mrs. S. T. Sutton.

Mrs. Thomas C. Siedel left today for Chicago and Juno, Wis., to visit relatives and friends.

Henry, one year old son of George Bohnenkamp, who has been very sick, is but little better.

John Murphy and wife returned today to Butlerville from a visit to his sons, Charles and Joab.

Joab Murphy, who has been confined to his home with malarial trouble, was out Friday for the first.

Mrs. W. J. Keely, of Cincinnati, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Valentine Vogel, who is improving.

John Eudaly, of the Postal Telegraph Co., is home from a visit to his brother Homer, of Paragould, Ark.

Mrs. Anthony McGinty and Miss Grace McGinty went this morning to North Vernon to visit friends.

Lawt Jackson a student of the Danville normal returned today to Vallonia to spend the summer vacation.

Misses Sophia Martin and Bernice Robertson have returned to Elwing from a pleasant visit to Seymour friends.

E. M. Young went today to Cincinnati. From there he goes to Paris Ky. to spend Sunday with his daughter, who is visiting there.

Prof. Henry Kamman, of Holland, one of the principal teachers of Posey county, who is a student of the State University is here the guest of his brother, John H. Kamman, and family.

**BUSINESS NOTES.**  
H. J. Westman is here from Albion on business.  
Charles H. Spray went today to Bedford on business.  
G. F. Beckman is nicely papering the Arlington House.  
Mrs. James E. Wells went today to Vernon on business.  
G. W. Dean and wife, of New York, came today on business.  
L. M. Varbel came here this forenoon from Salem on business.  
A. D. Eldridge last night shipped a car of poultry to New York.  
Henry Lay and J. H. Hogan are here from Indianapolis on business.  
F. W. Stankum and wife are here from Columbus on business.

Orrill Wheeler, of Cortland, is delivering a lot of new clover hay here today.  
J. L. Kessler & Son sold a fine and improved mower to Frank Brannaman a prosperous farmer of Brownstown.  
Henry Borchering, a successful farmer of Hamilton township, purchased an improved binder of C. B. Cole & Co. today.

The Carter Company this morning received a package containing a dozen scroll saws from Chicago by mail with only two cents postage.

## CHURCH NOTES.

### FIRST M. E. CHURCH

Sunday class meeting, 9:30 a. m. Sunday preaching 10:30 a. m. Sunday school 2 p. m.; preaching 7:30 p. m. Tuesday holiness meeting, 7:00 p. m. Monday Junior Epworth League, 6:45 p. m. Wednesday prayer meeting 7:30 p. m. Thursday Epworth League 7:30 p. m. Rev. J. M. Baxter, pastor. Corner Third and Ewing street.

The Epworth League Devotional Meeting will be held at 7 o'clock. The pastor will have charge of this service.

There will be a children's service in the morning at 10:30. Songs, recitations, etc., by the little folk, and an address by the pastor.

The choir will render the usual number of anthems also.

### FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

Southwest corner of Walnut and Tipton streets. Preaching every Sabbath. Sabbath school, 2:00 p. m. Morning service at 10:30 a. m. Evening service, 7:30 p. m. B. Y. P. U. meeting Monday evening at 7:30 p. m. Prayer meeting Wednesday at 7:30 p. m. All are made cordially welcome. J. W. Clevenger, pastor.

Morning subject: "The Repentance of Nineveh."

Evening subject: "A Word to the Young."

### CHRISTIAN CHURCH.

Regular services every Sunday. Preaching 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Endeavor Society Friday 7:30 p. m. Junior Endeavor 2:00 p. m. Prayer meeting every Wednesday eve. 7:30 p. m. Young men's prayer band Sunday afternoon at 3:00 o'clock. Sunday school 9:15 a. m. Elder A. F. Beare, pastor. Residence on west Fifth street. All made welcome.

### PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.

Corner of Walnut and Branch streets. Rev. J. T. Charlton, pastor.

Morning subject: "Skin for Skin."

Evening subject: "The Angels."

The Children's Day exercises will be postponed for one week.

### German Lutheran Evangelical Church.

Corner of Poplar and Hickman Sts. Rev. Philip Schmidt, pastor. Preaching every Sabbath. Morning service, 9:30 a. m. Evening service, 7:00 p. m. Children's Catechism after morning service.

### SEVENTH DAY ADVENTIST.

Sabbath school at 2:30 p. m. at corner of Ewing and Fifth streets. All are invited.

### EVANGELICAL PROTESTANT ST. PAUL'S CHURCH

N. E. Corner of Walnut and Tipton. Morning service 10:00 a. m. Sunday school 2 p. m. F. Daries, pastor.

### GERMAN M. E. CHURCH.

Corner of Poplar and Bruce Sts., Rev. John Huber, pastor. Preaching every Sabbath. Morning service, 10:30 a. m. Evening service, 7:30 p. m. Sunday school, 9 a. m. Sunday evening at 7:00 p. m. Young people's meeting. Wednesday, at 7:30 p. m., prayer meeting.

### ST. AMBROSE CATHOLIC CHURCH.

South Chestnut St., near Brown St. Father Conrad, pastor. Services every Sabbath. Low mass 8 a. m. High mass 10 a. m. Catechism 2:30 p. m. Vespers and benediction 3 p. m.

### LOYAL TEMPERANCE LEAGUE.

The Loyal Temperance League meets at 3:30 every Sabbath afternoon at the Presbyterian church. All cordially invited.

### RAILROAD RUMBLINGS

Car Inspector Miller and son, the freight clerk, of the Southern Indiana, have moved into the Fed. Able property on East Fourth street. Welcome to all.

A bath with COSMO BUTTERMILK SOAP, exquisitely scented, is soothing and beneficial. Sold by C. W. Milhou.

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# THE KLONDIKE

## DEVOURS LIKE FIRE.

THE WONDERFUL EFFECTS PRODUCED BY FLUORINE.

The Diamond Only Able to Absolutely Resist This Powerful Solvent—Researches Into the Nature of a Hitherto Poorly Known Chemical Element.

The alchemists of the middle ages believed that somewhere in the universe was to be found a universal solvent which would dissolve the most refractory substances as readily as water dissolves sugar. They named their solvent Liquor alkahest, and what time they could spare from the search after the elixir of life and the philosopher's stone was spent in the endeavor to obtain it. Science has yet to prove, by the way, that there was not more method in the madness of the alchemists than in the generally supposed, for in the remarkable substance fluorine chemists possess material that approximates very closely to a universal solvent. Its chemical energy is so fierce that, except gold and platinum, nothing can resist it, and even gold and platinum succumb to fluorine in time. The mere contact of most substances with fluorine is sufficient to cause not mere solution, but light, flame and fierce detonations. Dull, inert flint takes fire when exposed to fluorine vapor and becomes a brilliant incandescent mass. Lampblack bursts into flame, while charcoal burns with bright scintillations. Only the diamond is able to resist this powerful solvent, to which it does not succumb even at high temperature. The similar element silicon, which can be obtained in a crystalline form closely resembling the diamond, gives a magnificent display in the presence of fluorine, the crystals becoming white hot and throwing showers of fiery spangles in all directions. The heat is so intense that the crystals melt, showing that their temperature has reached 1,200 degrees C.

Phosphorus combines fiercely with fluorine. Prussian blue, on account of the cyanogen it contains, burns with a beautiful pink flame; while from a crystal of iodine dissolved in fluorine vapor a heavy liquid distills with a pale flame. This liquid—an iodide of fluorine—etches glass, and if thrown into water hisses like hot iron. The last named metal becomes white hot when exposed to fluorine; even iron rust behaves in a similar manner. Nearly all metals are raised to vivid incandescence in a current of the gas, many appearing very beautiful, especially aluminum and zinc. If the latter be slightly warmed, it bursts into a white flame too dazzling to gaze at or describe.

Although it has been known in various states of combination for many years, having been first discovered by Schwabachardt of Nuremberg, in 1670, and rediscovered by Scheele in 1771, fluorine was not obtained as fluorine in the free state until about six years ago, when the French chemist Moissan succeeded in isolating it by employing a current of electricity from 26 or 28 Bunsen batteries. The current was passed through the compound of fluorine and hydrogen known as hydrofluoric acid, which is similar to hydrochloric acid. To improve the conductivity of the hydrofluoric acid it was necessary to dissolve another fluorine compound in the liquid. As will readily be imagined, it is not so difficult to obtain free fluorine as to keep it when obtained. Every part of the apparatus used by M. Moissan was made of platinum, with screw joints and washers of lead, which swell on contact with fluorine, all the stoppers being of fluor spar. Fluorine has a powerful affinity for silicon, one of the principal constituents of glass, so that it was impossible to use glass vessels or tubes to contain the gas.

As regards the chemical nature of fluorine, it is a gas at ordinary temperature and is the lightest member of the series of elements containing chlorine, bromine and iodine. The attraction of fluorine for hydrogen exceeds that of chlorine and is so great that if a slow current of fluorine gas be passed into a tube of fluor spar containing a drop of water a dark fog is produced, which changes presently to a blue vapor consisting of ozone—the condensed form of oxygen. The last named substance appears to be one of the few materials which has no affinity for fluorine. Nothing is observed to take place between them even when they are heated up to 1,000 degrees F.

So far all experiments had been conducted with fluorine gas, which, at the time it was isolated, resisted all attempts to reduce it to the liquid state. Six years ago, however, there was a laboratory—such as that at the Royal Institution—having powerful machinery for producing liquid air or liquid oxygen at the command of the investigator. In fact, liquid air itself was practically unknown. By the aid of this weapon Professors Dewar and Moissan have succeeded in liquefying fluorine. At the extremely low temperature of liquid oxygen it was found that fluorine did not attack glass, and it was possible to use glass vessels to hold the newly liquefied element.—C. F. Townsend in Knowledge.

The funeral of Nathan Browning yesterday was the largest that ever took place in Brownstown township. Religious services by Rev. Allen, of the M. E. church at Pleasant Grove. Burial at Brownstown.

During the electrical storm Thursday evening, lightning struck the farm residence of John Waskom, near Tampico, tearing off a part of one side of the house. The house was not set on fire. Wright's Celery Tea regulates the liver and kidneys, cures constipation and sick headache. 25c at all druggists.

## BASEBALL.

Standing of the Clubs, WESTERN LEAGUE.

Clubs.	W.	L.	Pct.	Clubs.	W.	L.	Pct.
Indianapolis	28	12	.700	Kansas City	24	18	.571
St. Paul	27	13	.675	Minneapolis	18	27	.396
Cleveland	23	15	.605	Pittsburg	18	22	.450
Milwaukee	23	15	.605	Detroit	15	28	.345
Chicago	22	16	.579	Washington	15	28	.345
Columbus	22	16	.579	Omaha	10	28	.263

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Clubs.	W.	L.	Pct.	Clubs.	W.	L.	Pct.
Cincinnati	30	13	.692	Pittsburg	22	22	.500
Philadelphia	29	14	.675	Portland	14	10	.583
Washington	28	16	.636	Brooklyn	16	24	.400
Baltimore	24	15	.615	St. Louis	16	22	.421
Chicago	24	15	.615	St. Louis	16	22	.421
New York	22	21	.511	Louisville	14	28	.333

Western League.

Clubs.	Pct.	Clubs.	Pct.
Kansas City	.700	Portland	.583
Detroit	.675	Pittsburg	.500
Washington	.636	Brooklyn	.400
Baltimore	.615	St. Louis	.421
Chicago	.615	St. Louis	.421
New York	.511	Louisville	.333

Deafness Cannot be Cured.

By local applications as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure deafness, and that is by constitutional remedies. Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube. When this tube is inflamed you have a rumbling sound or imperfect hearing and when it is entirely closed, deafness is the result and unless the inflammation can be taken out and this tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forever; nine cases out of ten are caused by Catarrh, which is nothing but an inflamed condition of the mucous surfaces.

We will give One Hundred Dollars for any case of Deafness (caused by catarrh) that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure. Send for circulars free.

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Sold by druggists, price 75c. Hall's Family Pills are the best.

Give the Children a Drink

Called Grain-O. It is a delicious, appetizing, nourishing food drink to take the place of coffee. Sold by all grocers and liked by all who have used it because when properly prepared it tastes like the finest coffee but is free from all its injurious properties. Grain-O aids digestion and strengthens the nerves. It is not a stimulant but a health builder and children, as well as adults, can drink it with great benefit. Costs about as much as coffee. 15 and 25c.

Special Sunday Excursion to Indianapolis June 12th.

The Pennsylvania Lines will sell excursion tickets at round trip rate of seventy five cents to Indianapolis from Seymour on special train leaving at 9:21 a. m. central time; returning leave Indianapolis 7 p. m. June 12th.

Fighting Bob Evans Uses Allen's Foot-Ease

"Fortress Monroe, Va., April 12th. Dear Sir:—Enclosed find money order for \$1. Please send Allen's Foot-Ease to Captain Evans, U. S. N. Comd'g Battleship Iowa, Key West, Fla. Also send to Naval Cadet Frank Taylor Evans, Battleship Massachusetts, Hampton Roads, Va." Letters like this come daily. Allen's Foot-Ease is a powder to be shaken into the shoes. It gives Rest and Comfort to swollen, aching, hot, sweating, tired feet. If you walk, march or stand you want it. All druggists and shoe stores sell it, 25c. Sample sent FREE. Address Allen S. Olmsted, Le Roy, N. Y.

I was seriously afflicted with a cough or several years, and last fall had a more severe cough than ever before. I have used many remedies without receiving much relief, and being recommended to try a bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, by a friend, who, knowing me to be a poor widow, gave it to me, I tried it, and with the most gratifying results. The first bottle relieved me very much and the second bottle has absolutely cured me. I have not had as good health for twenty years. I give this certificate without solicitation, simply in appreciation of the gratitude felt for the cure effected.—Respectfully, Mrs. MARY A. BEARD, Claremore, Ark. For sale by C. W. Milhou.

Shake Into Your Shoes

Allen's Foot-Ease, a powder for feet. It cures painful, swollen, nervous feet and instantly takes the sting out of corns and bunions. It's the greatest comfort discovery of the age. Allen's Foot-Ease makes tight or new shoes feel easy. It is a certain cure for sweating, callous and hot, tired, aching feet. Try it today. Sold by all druggists and shoe stores. By mail for 25c in stamps. Trial package free. Address Allen S. Olmsted, Le Roy, N. Y.

## Advertised Letters

The following is the list of letters remaining in the postoffice at this place and if not called for within 14 days will be sent to the dead letter office:

LADIES. Brown Miss Emma Bunkon Michael Garner Mrs. Cathrine Cummins Geo A McClelen Mrs Mary Read Mrs. T. W. Wilson Miss George Williams Mrs. Ema A

PHILIP WILHELM, P. M.

Wisconsin Farm Lands.

There is a rush now to the choice unoccupied farm lands along the line of the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul Railway in Central Wisconsin.

Good quarter sections can now be had for \$7.00 and upwards per acre one-third cash, balance on long time at current rate of interest.

For further particulars address W. E. Powell, General Immigration Agent 410 Old Colony Bldg., Chicago, Ill.

Dr. Miles' Pain Pills, "One can't do so."

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

Notice is hereby given that the common council of the city of Seymour, Indiana, will at its regular meeting to be held in the council chamber on Thursday, June 10th, 1898, receive sealed bids for the paving and improving of a part of Chestnut street from the south property line of Tipton street, also the intersections on Bruce and Tipton streets on said Chestnut street to the east and west property lines on said intersections to the full width thereof, except sidewalks, by curbing with red brick stone and paving with concrete foundation not less than six inches thick and best quality of vitrified brick or block, all in accordance with the plans and specifications for said improvement prepared by and on file in the office of the city engineer. Said work to be done under the supervision of and to the satisfaction of the city engineer and the common council. All bids to be accompanied by a bond or certified check to the amount of \$500 that will enter into a contract if the same is awarded them. Council reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

Attest: J. E. MCKINSEY, City Clerk.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

Notice is hereby given that on Thursday evening, June 10th, 1898, sealed bids will be received by the common council of the city of Seymour, Indiana, to construct a 24 inch sewer starting at the mouth of the Branch street sewer, thence running in a westerly direction to a ditch known as the Heller and Goudy ditch, in accordance with plans and specifications therefor prepared by the city civil engineer and to the satisfaction of the city civil engineer and the common council. All bids to be accompanied by suitable bond. Council reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

Attest: J. E. MCKINSEY, City Clerk.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

Notice is hereby given that on Thursday evening, June 10th, 1898, sealed bids will be received by the common council of the city of Seymour, Indiana, to construct a sewer consisting of a 15 inch socket tile; starting at a point near the alley on Circle street, thence running south a center of these streets to the center of High street, thence running west to the center of High street across the tracks of the P. & O. St. Louis railroad to Tipton street, thence running west in the center of Tipton street to Pine street, then to intersect with Wooden Mill sewer in said city. In accordance with plans and specifications prepared by the city civil engineer and now on file in his office. Said work to be done under the supervision of and to the satisfaction of the city civil engineer and the common council. The cost thereof to be assessed against the property benefited. Council reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

Attest: J. E. MCKINSEY, City Clerk.

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COMPANY OF NEW YORK

RICHARD A. McCURDY, Pres.

STATEMENT.

For the Year ending December 31, 1897. According to the Standard of the Insurance Department of the State of New York.

INCOME.

Received for Premiums \$42,693,201.90  
From all other sources \$1,490,406.34

\$4,183,608.24

DISBURSEMENTS.

To Policy-holders for Claims by Death \$13,276,696.66  
To Policy-holders for Endowments, Dividends, etc. \$2,714,424.76

For all other accounts \$1,132,005.57

\$36,123,000.99

ASSETS.

United States Bonds and other Securities \$132,017,341.45  
First Lien Loans on Bond and Mortgage \$9,423,937.51

Loans on Stocks and Bonds \$2,282,908.46  
Real Estate \$21,618,454.88

Cash in Banks and Trust Companies \$1,705,195.82  
Accrued Interest, Not Deferred \$6,141,400.30

\$253,786,437.69

Reserve for Policies and other Liabilities \$18,978,243.07

Surplus \$35,368,194.36

Insurance and Annuities in force \$939,634,496.63

I have carefully examined the foregoing Statement and find the same to be correct; liabilities calculated by the Insurance Department. CHARLES A. PRELLER, Auditor.

From the Surplus a dividend will be apportioned as usual.

ROBERT A. GRANNISS, Vice-President.

WALTER R. GILLETTE, General Manager.  
ISAAC F. LLOYD, 2d Vice-President.  
FREDERIC CROMWELL, Treasurer.  
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# Dress Goods Sale!

(FOR TEN DAYS ONLY.)

## All Our Colors in Worsted Dress Goods

### Sacrificing Prices!

Novelty Dress Goods, former price 12½c, now.....10c  
Woolenette Plaid, former price 10c and 12½c, now.....7½c  
Henrietta, former price 15c, now.....12½c  
Henrietta, former price 25c, now.....12½c  
Worsted Stripes, former price 25c, now.....15c  
All Wool Novelty, former price 25c, now.....15c  
Worsted Novelty, former price 45c and 50c, now.....39c

During this Sale We Will Sell You

Good Indigo Prints at.....3c  
Hoosier Muslin at.....3½c  
Pepperell R Muslin at.....5c  
All our Best Prints at.....5c  
Challies at.....3c  
Laws at.....3c  
Six Cord Machine Thread 2 Spools for.....3c

Don't fail to see our line of

## CARPETS!

We also sell by sample and we can show you a big line at Rock Bottom Prices.

C. R. HOFFMAN, 22 S. Chestnut St., Seymour, Ind.



## THE LADRONES.

ANOTHER PACIFIC OCEAN GROUP CAPTURED.

Blanco Said to be Losing Heart at Havana.—Sampson Waits for Troops.

If instructions have been carried out, and it is believed at Washington that they have been, the flag of the United States is now floating over the Ladrone Islands, in the Pacific ocean, heretofore numbered among Spain's colonial possessions. The island lies about 1,600 miles east of the Philippines, and possession in the name of the United States has probably been taken by Capt. Glass, commanding the cruiser Charleston aided if necessary by troops under Maj. Gen. Otis.



The masts and stack of the sunken collier Merrimac in the entrance to the harbor of Santiago have disappeared from view. The Spaniards are trying to destroy the wreck, but it is constantly under the guns of some of the bigger warships. Two guns were fired at the fleet from Santiago batteries yesterday.



Rear Admiral Sampson remains before Santiago, impatient at the delay in the arrival of troops. Landing places have been secured, and the fleet controls thirty miles of coast from Agudores to Gauntanamo. The Spaniards are trying to destroy the wreck of the Merrimac at the mouth of Santiago harbor, but it is constantly under the guns of the fleet. The masts and stack have disappeared from view.



Trustworthy information, smuggled out of Havana, indicates that Blanco is losing heart. The city now has a garrison of 46,000 Spanish regulars and half as many volunteers. The interior of Havana province has been abandoned to the insurgents, who make daily attacks on the picket lines in the suburbs of the capital. It is common talk that Blanco will surrender after a merely nominal resistance. He has lost confidence in the volunteers, refusing to arm many independent companies for fear they would join the insurgents.



Spain's latest excuse is that a violent gale prevents the sailing of Admiral Camara's fleet from Cadiz. It is said at Lisbon that the fleet will sail under sealed order, and will be divided at sea into two squadrons, bound for different points. There were fifteen vessels in all. A large consignment of ammunition has reached Cadiz from France, and coal continues to arrive from England. Two British steamers have sailed for Porto Rico with contraband coal, giving their destination as Colon.



"I prefer Cleveland's Baking Powder," said the lecturer, "because it is pure and wholesome, it takes less for the same baking, it never fails, and bread and cake keep their freshness and flavor."

### The Game of Life.

A novel lecture on this subject was delivered by Rev. John H. Helm, of Louisville at the Ebenezer Baptist church northeast of Seymour, yesterday evening. The lecture presented the many sides of life with its conflicts under the imagery of a game. The various parts of the life game were illustrated by lessons drawn from the different games of childhood. The game of scrabble; Fox and Geese, introduced to the Hutchinson family, Grab, Anthony Over, Show, Old Gray Goose, Old Gravy Hampshire, and several other familiar childhood games were taken up and applications made from them to the serious business of life which is played on the stage about us every day. The lecture was well illustrated throughout with extracts from Riley and other well known authors, and with bits of personal observation and experience. The audience present speak in very high terms of the manner in which the subject was handled.

The exercises of Franklin college commencement week begin tomorrow morning with the missionary sermon by Rev. D. R. Landis, and the baccalaureate sermon in the evening by President Stott. The literary and social features this year promise to draw many visitors from a distance.

Children's pants, 15 cts. at Mose the Boss'.

Series "B" Co-operative Building and Loan Association having matured and are now payable. Shares are worth \$100.75. Leave your book with the secretary, W. F. PETER.

COSMO BUTTERMILK TOILET OAP makes the skin soft, white and healthy. Sold by C. W. Milhous, a2dm

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J. BALSLEY.

For a perfect complexion and a clear, healthy skin, use COSMO BUTTERMILK SOAP. Sold by C. W. Milhous, 2d4m

Peculiar Damage Suit.

Amanda Hawn has filed suit in the Scott circuit court for \$5,000 damages against John Skeets, a public road districts in Jennings townships, this county, for personal injuries sustained by being thrown from and run over by a wagon, which accident is alleged to have been due to the condition of the public highway the repair of which had been neglected by the defendant supervisor—Scottsburg Chronicle.

Twenty-Three Years

Was the age of Roscoe England yesterday and the event was pleasantly celebrated by a royal dinner, prepared by his good mother and partaken of by his associates of the Pants Factory. Mr. England is one of our industrious and esteemed young men.

A Pleasant Occasion.

An enjoyable event of the past week was the party given on Wednesday evening by Misses Carrie and Stella Pfaffenberger, at their home just west of the city. Refreshments consisting of ice cream, cake, strawberries and lemonade were served in abundance. Among those present were Misses Flora Buhner, Anna Meyer, Katie Miller, Emma Critcher, Ida Buhner, Lydia Jacobs, Lizzie Miller, Messrs. John Lockmund, Clarence Ahl, Herm Bartlett, Ed Miller, Jake Salmon, Oscar Crabb, Louis Harlow, Will Thompson, Andy Corte and Will Brockmeyer.

A double wedding took place at the court house at Brownstown Saturday morning, June 11, in the clerk's office. The contracting parties were James M. Featherland and Miss Cora Borders, of Owen township, and Henry Clendenen and Miss Ada Miller, of Brownstown township. 'Squire O. W. Lawell tied the knot and the ceremony was witnessed by a good crowd including almost the entire corps of employees and officers about the court house. They all joined in expressing their good will and in wishing the young couples happy and prosperous journeys through life.

The Game of Life.

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Every effort will be made to please you in style and fit

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COX'S SKIN SOAP for the Bath, the toilet, the household in general. None better.....10c  
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BLUE RIBBON SASSAPARILLA for your blood. Warranted to do the work.....75c  
TOILET GOODS, including everything needed for summer comfort.  
SUMMER DRINKS. Our soda water is not excelled anywhere. Fresh cut fruits, and the finest Ice Cream served without soda if desired.....5c  
All these and much more at

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**Bath Cabinet**  
Is worth \$100 to any every family. See it! Learn all about it! Try it! Buy it and be convinced.  
L. S. Sweany,  
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### WEATHER INDICATIONS.

CHICAGO, Ill. June 11.—For Indiana.—Unsettled weather tonight and Sunday with thunderstorms north and central portions tonight.

For sale—First class bicycle. Call at this office. tf

The Crothersville Sunday school held a delightful picnic at Rockford today.

The Franklin post office has been advanced to a second class office.

GUITAR LESSONS.—For terms inquire of Ida MacDuff, No. 9, East 5th St.

Band concert and ice cream social at Kisselman's garden tonight. Come out and enjoy the evening.

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Highest honors—World's Fair,  
Gold Medal, Midwinter Fair.

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